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Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to high westerly winds, partly cloudy, with occasional rain.	
Lower mainland—Southerly and westerly winds, fresh to strong on the coast, partly cloudy, with occasional rain.	

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VIENNA SUFFERS EXTENSIVE RUIN BY RAGING MOBS

Great Hotels Are Partly Wrecked and Furnishings Looted—Guests Are Robbed and Injured by Rowdies—Wholesale Destruction Wrought in Shops and Cafes.

WORSE DISTURBANCES ARE FEARED AS POLICE REFUSE TO DO DUTY

VIENNA, Dec. 1.—In the widespread rioting which occurred here today, the New Bristol and the Old Bristol hotels were partially wrecked, and were looted to the second floor. Inquiries at the hotels disclosed that many guests were robbed of clothing and jewels, in some instances the jewels being torn from their ears. Seemingly the most rowdy elements swept through the inner city. They were joined by the worst criminal classes, committing all kinds of excesses. At 7 o'clock tonight the streets were quiet.

The Associated Press correspondent asked a policeman who idly watched the wrecking of the Hotel Imperial, if there were not sufficient police to handle the situation. He replied: "We are tired of shooting and being shot. These people are hungry and desperate; so are many of us."

ESQUIMALT HEARS HON. S. F. TOLMIE

Minister Appears on Platform With Mr. Dickie—Disarms Arguments of Hecklers and Wins Audience

Some of the acts of the present Dominion Government, designed to strengthen Victoria and Esquimalt as centres of sea commerce, shipbuilding and all its allied industries, were described last night by Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture, to a large meeting, held at the Rex Theatre, in the interests of Mr. C. H. Dickie, Meighen candidate in the Esquimalt riding.

Mr. Dickie believed that the Esquimalt drydock would be a great factor in attracting marine industry to this section of the Province, and he said that the people of the community should congratulate themselves on the success of the drydock negotiations.

"I can assure you that the drydock won't be won for Esquimalt tonight," declared the minister. "We had to fight day after day against the toughest kind of opposition from such men as Lemieux and Fielding and Cresser. Now that you've got it, I feel confident that you will make the most of it. If the opportunities before Victoria and Esquimalt in the way of ocean trade and ship repairing are adequately realized, we need not fear the competition of any other port."

Mr. Dickie made an impressive speech, and he was recommended to the people of Esquimalt by Mr. Tolmie as "a man who can give big questions sane judgment, a type needed at Ottawa more than any other."

The Place for Small-Bore Orators

"Some of the men who can make flowery speeches in small town schoolhouses and occasionally in the town hall, find when they get down to Ottawa that their voices are not so loud and not so musical," said Dr. Tolmie. "Men who make a big noise and have nothing to say are soon sized up and thrown into the scrap heap. What Canada needs today is men who know how to put up a sensible, clear-cut proposition. I believe that Mr. Dickie fulfills that qualification admirably."

Mr. George Gray, campaign manager for Mr. R. B. Booth, the Liberal standard-bearer, asked the speakers a number of questions, and endeavored to score a point or two on the Meighen candidates, but Dr. Tolmie and Mr. Dickie were ready for him, and methodically upset one by one the arguments advanced by the heckler. By its applause of the minister and Mr. Dickie the audience showed unmistakably how it stood.

Major G. S. Sman acted as chairman. Mr. R. H. Pooley, M.P.P. for Esquimalt, was the first speaker. Mr. Pooley said that owing to the session of the Legislature he had been unable to give as much attention to the Federal election campaign as would otherwise be possible, but he was pleased to notice the strength of Mr. Dickie throughout the riding.

"I know that Esquimalt will be on deck to support Mr. Dickie next Tuesday," said Mr. Pooley. "Reports I receive from all parts of the constituency indicate a 100 to 1 landslide for Dickie, and I feel confident that Esquimalt will be one of Mr. Dickie's strongholds."

Mr. Dickie was given a rousing reception and an attentive hearing. He replied to some of the statements made by his opponents and declared the big need of the country today was stability and common sense. The time for political experimenting such as is proposed by the Liberals and Cressers might come later.

Mr. Dickie recalled that Mr. Booth, the Liberal candidate, had accused him of opposing in the Legislature the electoral franchise for women.

"I believe that young man is carrying on a good campaign and he has a right to criticize me for my public acts," said Mr. Dickie, "but he criticized me in this instance for some reason."

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PACKING HOUSES TO BE TIED UP BY UNION STRIKE

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—A strike of all union packing house employees in all plants where wage reductions were put into effect Monday, was ordered for December 5 by the executive committee of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America.

The strike, which affects all union crafts employed in the packing industry, will involve about 15,000 workers in fifteen cities, according to Cornelius Hayes, president of the Butcher Workmen's Union.

Dennis Lane, secretary of the Butcher Workmen's Union, issued a statement saying that "all attempts to negotiate a fair adjustment of wage rates by offering an agreement providing arbitration between packers and employees have failed."

VANCOUVER RAINFALL SURPASSES RECORDS

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—For wetness, 1921 can give most years a good start and still flash under the wire an easy winner.

Up to the end of November this year, there have been 55.62 inches, or four feet seven inches of rain in Vancouver, and the year still has thirty-one days to run. The average yearly precipitation, as shown by Dominion meteorological service figures, is 49.95 inches.

The average precipitation in November is 9.73 inches. This year November only shows 8.99 inches.

YUKON CAMPAIGN IS NOT PICNIC

Capt. Black and Mr. Congdon Encounter Severe Weather in Their Tour of Territory—Former Frostbitten

DAWSON CITY, Dec. 1.—Campaigning side by side in Arctic weather, Captain George Black and F. W. Congdon, K.C., Government and Liberal candidates in the Yukon, have met with an old Yukonlike reception at a series of joint meetings in this neighborhood. Two more joint meetings here, on Friday and Monday, will be the last of the campaign along the creeks, will bring the campaign to a close.

For several meetings here, the Arctic weather has made the going difficult. Captain Black and Congdon have held the platform together, going into national and local issues and replying promptly to charges which the other has made. Each is permitted to interrupt the other to clear up a point, while the audience is kept on its toes.

There has been no lack of criticism, but also no rancor between the candidates. The audience has been uniformly attentive.

An unusually early spell of forty-below weather has made the going cold, but has left a few thin spots on the ice. Captain Black broke through the ice on Stewart River near the mouth of Clear Creek, while coming from Mayo by dog team. He had to change his clothes on the river bank, but by so doing avoided serious freezing, although his face and hands were badly frozen before he reached Dawson.

Mr. Congdon has traveled the same trails, totalling hundreds of miles.

POLLING EQUIPMENT LOST IN SPRINGFIELD

WINNIPEG, Dec. 1.—The first attempt resulting in failure when a boat capsized in Lake Winnipeg, an effort now being made to take ballot boxes to portions of Springfield constituency, on the northern confines of civilization, by dog teams.

There are said to be 500 voters affected. One of the men who accompanied the boat walked 168 miles to report the minor disaster, which resulted in all the ballot boxes and election papers being lost.

CALGARY CANDIDATE BRINGS LIBEL ACTION

CALGARY, Dec. 1.—Magistrate Sanders, in the city police court today, granted an adjournment of two days in the criminal libel action brought by A. L. Smith, Conservative candidate in East Calgary, against W. M. Davidson, of The Morning Albertan.

This action is being taken in connection with the report of a raid made by city detectives on Tuesday night in the Wiggins Hall, where a meeting in support of Mr. Smith was in progress, and where six kegs of beer were seized. The action was started by Mr. Smith on the ground that the heading of the article stated that the raid was on the Conservative committee rooms, whereas it was in the hall underneath the building adjacent.

The trial of the action will proceed Saturday morning.

HAVE SUSPICIONS ABOUT "STOLEN" CARS

MONTREAL, Dec. 1.—It was learned today that insurance companies of Montreal have lost during the year between \$10,000 and \$40,000 on the "disappearance" of approximately 125 automobiles which have completely vanished.

Officials of several companies are unanimous in their opinion that the waters of the St. Lawrence cover many of the "stolen" cars, which, they think, were driven into the river so that their owners could collect the insurance money.

MINISTER DEALS WITH ORIENTALS

Hon. H. A. Stevens at Vancouver Meeting Declares His Attitude on Question of Immigration Is Unchanged

OPPOSES INFLUX FROM ASIAN SIDE

Reviews Record of Two Parties in Regard to Exclusion—Premier Meighen's Stand at Empire Conference

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—Opposing unrestricted immigration of Asiatics into British Columbia from time to time in a big audience in the Hotel Vancouver tonight that his attitude towards the question was unchanged, and that he opposed Asiatic immigration because Asiatics were incapable of assimilation.

Success in assimilation meant intermarriage, and the Oriental was unfit socially, mentally, morally and industrially, to take any part in the building up of a national type. He also based his objection on the inherent right of an organized state to fix the terms upon which it admitted to its jurisdiction persons from other countries.

Reviewing the history of the Anglo-Japanese treaty, Mr. Stevens said that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had adhered to that treaty "without reservations" in his immigration policy. Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, he said, went to Japan and the agreement which tied the hands of the Canadian people.

Not only had the last Liberal administration failed to take any steps to safeguard the interests of Canada in this respect, but it disallowed many provincial acts passed by British Columbia from time to time in an effort to cope with the growing menace of Asiatic immigration. The present government, Mr. Stevens pointed out, had not disallowed a clause which Mr. Stevens had introduced and lodged in the act to prohibit the voting power of Orientals. The Opposition attitude had been that, if a session was adjourned, the country he had a right to vote. Further, said the Minister, Mr. Mackenzie King was asked during a campaign speech what was his attitude on this question, and he had replied that the present was not a fitting time to discuss the matter. At the London conference, added Mr. Stevens, Premier Meighen had fearlessly stood for abrogation of the treaty, which was unfair to Canada.

Asked by a member of the audience what his attitude towards the Hindu vote the Minister of Trade and Commerce replied that, in India, where all were British subjects, only 12,000 out of about 360,000,000 enjoyed a partial franchise. Hinqua was the mouth of Clear Creek, while coming from Mayo by dog team. He had to change his clothes on the river bank, but by so doing avoided serious freezing, although his face and hands were badly frozen before he reached Dawson.

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JUDGES APPOINTED FOR NOVA SCOTIA

HALIFAX, Dec. 1.—Advice received here from Ottawa announces the appointment of T. Sherman Rogers, K.C., of Halifax, to the vacancy of the supreme court bench of Nova Scotia, caused by the resignation of the late Arthur Dymally. It is further announced that Colonel J. W. Macgeorge, of the pension board, Ottawa, and formerly a member of the Nova Scotia Legislature, has been appointed county court judge for Queens, N.S., succeeding Judge Forbes, resigned.

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NEGOTIATIONS WAIT ON DEVELOPMENTS OF NEXT FEW DAYS

ROBBERS TAKE \$60,000 AT CALIFORNIA MINE

JACKSON, Cal., Dec. 1.—Six masked men, armed with sawed-off shotguns, blew open the safe of the Argonaut mine, one of the richest in California, and escaped early today with more than \$60,000 in gold amalgam in two automobiles, driven by two men who had acted as lookouts during the robbery.

The lost was a month's cleanup for the mine, whose production has averaged nearly \$100,000 a month for the last thirty-five years. Its weight was 455 pounds, and the robbers apparently were aware of the fact that the mine's plates had just been scraped preparatory to melting down bullion today for shipment. The amalgam was in the form of balls of gold mixed with quicksilver.

Two men on mill duty were overpowered and bound with ropes, and telephone wires at the mine were cut.

PREMIER SPEAKS IN NORTH YORK

Is Well Received by Great Crowd at Newmarket, in Mr. King's District—Points to Canada's Good Position

NEWMARKET, Ont., Dec. 1.—Tonight Premier Meighen invaded the constituency of North York, referred to by some speakers as "the cradle of Liberalism." Here Hon. Mackenzie King, leader of the Liberal party, and R. W. E. Burnaby, president of the United Farmers of Ontario, are opposing J. A. M. Armstrong, former member and present standard-bearer of the Government.

The reception accorded the Premier was a hearty one. The large rink in which the meeting was held was hung with flags and streamers and crowded to capacity with a cheering crowd, estimated at 5,000. Premier Meighen said that from the beginning of the campaign to the end he had allowed the enemy to choose their issues. On every platform he had dealt with these issues as they came up.

"No nation can show more war results for two billion dollars than we can," said Mr. Meighen, discussing the national debt. "I find that those who are most alarmed about the war debt are those who were least alarmed about the war. Read any financial authority, with the exception of Mr. King and Mr. Murdoch, and you will find that this country is in the best condition of any nation which came through the war, with the possible exception of the United States."

"Look at the returns today, all you croakers about the C. N. R.," said the Premier, referring to the progress of the Canadian National Railway system.

ARMED BANDITS ROB TORONTO DRUG STORE

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—Two armed bandits held up Stanley Anderson, drug clerk in George Marshall's drug store and sub-postoffice, Dundas Street, today and stole \$250 in cash. Anderson was tied up in the rear of the store and gagged. One man stood guard over him with a pistol while the other ransacked the store, taking \$183 of Marshall's cash, \$15 of postal money and \$15 out of Anderson's pocket.

Sinn Fein Delegates Go to Dublin to Confer With Colleagues Concerning Government's New Proposals for Irish Settlement—Expected to Return With Answer Monday

NEGATIVE REPLY WILL END PARLEY

Proposals Are Not to Be Sent to Belfast Unless Accepted by Leaders of Sinn Fein—Allegiance Is Crucial Point—Strong Expressions in Favor of Truce

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Indications that the Irish negotiations, apparently hanging by a mere thread for the last two days, would not be fully ruptured before next Monday, if at all, were in evidence tonight.

Robert C. Barton is going to Dublin tonight, and the other Sinn Fein delegates expect to follow him tomorrow. This announcement was made at the Sinn Fein publicity department this afternoon, coupled with the statement that unless the Sinn Feiners were summoned to Mr. Lloyd George's official residence during the course of the evening, there probably would be no further meeting with Government representatives until Monday. This was taken to mean that the Sinn Fein delegates would devote the week-end to a discussion of the British Government's new proposals with Eamonn de Valera and other members of the Dail cabinet.

It was understood the Sinn Fein delegates would return to London on Monday to give the Government the Sinn Fein's final decision regarding the new proposals.

The Government's undertaking to submit fresh proposals to Ulster before next Tuesday, the time limit set by Premier Sir James Craig this week in his declaration to accept the Government's previous proposal, is expected to be conditioned upon the acceptance of the new proposals and upon the inclusion in such possible acceptance of an agreement on the part of the Sinn Fein to withdraw allegiance to the Crown. Should this agreement be not reached, it is understood Ulster will not be approached again, and that negotiations with the Sinn Fein would then terminate.

Some of the Government's officials connected with the conference left the city today to spend the week-end in the country. Among today's visitors to the "cabinet connected with the Irish question," was Lord Fitzalan, Governor-General of Ireland.

Question of Truce
Preservation of the truce in Ireland, whatever may happen to the peace negotiations, is being urged today by a considerable section of the British press. It is suggested that this be achieved through adjournment of the conference to a fixed date a month or six weeks hence.

The Sinn Fein publicity department here reiterated this morning that it expected further meetings between the Government and the Sinn Fein delegates, and it is believed arrangements regarding the truce will be considered at the next meeting. The original truce terms provided no plan for its cessation, and it is felt, it is said, that even if it developed that hostilities must be renewed, provision should be made fixing a definite date for abandonment of the pact, instead of letting the truce break down without notice, which has been considered in many quarters the probable outcome.

UNEMPLOYMENT GIVES PROBLEM

Chancellor of the Exchequer Speaks of Government's Relief Work—Resources Unequal to Increased Effort

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Sir Robert Horne, speaking at an anniversary celebration here of St. Andrew's Day, humorously referred to the English as being very clever. He said they displayed their cleverness by getting Scotmen to do all their hard work for them. The English were one of the most tolerant races on the face of the earth, he continued—not because they tolerated Scotmen, but because they had more regard and consideration for other points of view than any other race.

Speaking seriously, Sir Robert Horne declared that the Government has done a great deal to relieve distress, but the state's resources had limits. Taxation had reached its limit of fruitfulness, and to borrow considerably more money would merely create more unemployment.

Local relief bodies, he said, recently were showing a firmer attitude toward the demands of the organized unemployed, and were already doing everything possible. One deputization, the Minister remarked, had asked for 10s. apiece with which to buy Christmas toys for their children. This had been refused.

Bethnal Green Council had granted the unemployed free tram rides, Sir Robert said, although the trams were losing £108,000 yearly.

FLOOD AND GALE CAUSE WRECKAGE

Overflowing Streams Offer Serious Menace in Part of Washington State—Wind-storm in Portland District

SEATTLE, Dec. 1.—Torrential rain, added to melting snow, caused a serious flood menace today in the country between here and Tacoma. The town of Kent was partially under water, with a stream flowing over the main business street and covering the Seattle-Tacoma interurban tracks. Portions of highways were inundated, and farmers drove their cattle to higher lands.

Reports indicated that the Snoqualmie, Cedar, White and Green rivers were out of their banks and rising rapidly tonight. The White River has risen 15 feet in 24 hours. Railroad tracks were taking precaution. From Ellensburg, Wash., east of the Cascade Mountains, the Yakima River was reported 28 inches up and still rising. The flood stage was expected for 30 hours, and might be avoided, it was said, if the temperature should drop sufficiently.

Storm in Oregon
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 1.—A 41-mile-an-hour gale blew over Portland and northwestern Oregon last today. In the city forty-five trees were blown down in a park. Hundreds of telegraph and electric light poles were prostrated. Three vessels ran aground in the harbor, but none was seriously damaged. One collided with a trolley bridge, throwing it out of alignment and necessitating the closing of the bridge for repairs. A number of plate-glass windows of business houses were wrecked. Several large electric advertising signs were reduced to junk. A few houses were unroofed.

Reports from other points indicated that the main damage was to wires and poles. At Astoria the gale attained a velocity of 75 miles an hour.

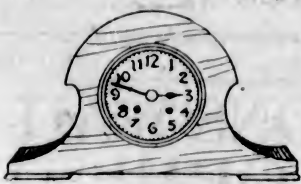
Felt in California
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—Wire communication between San Francisco and points north and east was interrupted seriously tonight by wind and rain storms. Trees blown over by the winds broke telephone lines, and the lines of one telegraph company in Southern Oregon, rain made some lines in Northern California useless, and other trees blown over broke the overhead telephone and one telegraph company's wire near Summit, California. Wire chiefs spent a busy evening reeling and diverting traffic to make the most of the southern transcontinental lines. Shipping was reported bar-bound or, in a few instances, in trouble.

The United States destroyer De Long, which went ashore a few miles south of San Francisco in a fog last night, was being battered by high seas late tonight.

Quebec's Advantageous Loan

MONTREAL, Dec. 1.—The Province of Quebec four million dollar loan of 15-year 5 1/2 per cent bonds was yesterday awarded to a syndicate of six Montreal bond houses at 97.62 and accrued interest. The Province thus secured its money on a basis of 5.74 per cent. This is the most favorable provincial financing to have been accomplished in Canada in the last two years.

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MOBS IN VIENNA DO MUCH DAMAGE

Raiding of Shops, Wrecking of Hotel Interiors and Smashing of Windows Are Credited to Communists

VIENNA, Dec. 1.—Rioting of a serious nature broke out in Vienna today, following a great demonstration before the parliament building, where red flags were raised on improvised masts. The crowds then began smashing windows and looting shops dealing in articles of luxury. Large crowds also attacked a number of fashionable hotels, most of which are those where foreigners reside.

The New Bristol was the first of these hostilities to be assaulted. Its great doors were battered down, thus permitting the crowds to pour through into the building. They began to break windows, some of which were as high as the third floor, and to hurl bedding and furniture into the mob crowded below.

The Old Bristol Hotel later suffered the same fate, its costly furniture being hurled out to the cheering crowds.

The Grand Hotel, the largest in the city, and the Hotel Imperial also were looted.

The Vienna police were apparently

helpless, many squads of them being seen standing quietly by as on-lookers.

Scenes of plundering occurred throughout the entire city. Thousands of dollars' worth of plate glass was smashed until the principal streets this afternoon looked like the wreck of a hurricane.

Authorities expressed their belief that the disturbance was traceable to communist origin. It came very suddenly during a demonstration against the high cost of food, staged in front of the parliament building, in which many thousands joined. During the demonstrations gangs suddenly appeared in the central part of the city and began their work of destruction.

DR. LLOYD IS BISHOP OF SASKATCHEWAN

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Dec. 1.—Rev. Dr. Eton Lloyd, formerly archdeacon of the Province, and subsequently principal of Emmanuel Divinity College, of Prince Albert and Saskatchewan, was elected Bishop of Saskatchewan, to succeed the Right Rev. J. A. Newnham, D.D., on the second ballot by the diocesan synod last evening.

Dr. Lloyd is in England securing teachers for Western Canada. It is understood he had previously decided to accept the position.

During the synod presentation of episcopal robes was made to Dr. A. D. Dewdney, Bishop-elect of Kewatin, and an address from the clergy and laity. Dr. Dewdney also received a silver tea service, accompanied by an address from the women's organization.

A Danger Signal—Tender and Bleeding Gums

Healthy teeth cannot live in diseased tissue. Gums tainted with Pyorrhea are dangerously diseased. For not only the teeth are affected, but Pyorrhea germs seep into the body, lower its vitality and cause many ills.

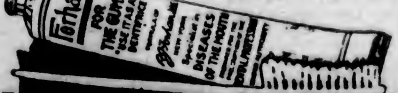
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SEEK REPARATION FROM GERMANY

Many Persons Have Filed Claims for Compensation on Account of Illegal Warfare—Inquiry Commissioner

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—Already 659 claims, aggregating \$22,494,979, have been filed with Major. H. Spence, of the Department of the Secretary of State, for reparation for illegal acts of warfare committed on Canadians and Canadian property by Germany and her allies during the war. It is anticipated that many additional claims will be made, and that their total value will run into many millions of dollars.

Sir Douglas Hays, who has been appointed to investigate these claims, will decide the amounts the claimants are to receive. The claims, after investigation, will be paid from Canada's share of the indemnity secured by Great Britain from Germany on this account.

Canada will receive 4.35 out of Great Britain's 22 per cent of the total reparation assessed against Germany by the Allied nations.

Perhaps the most peculiar claims are those of German residents in Canada for losses suffered by them as a result of the Turkish atrocities in Armenia. There are 91 of these claims, totalling \$1,147,168.

The department has received 119 claims for ships, cargoes and merchandise lost at sea. These claims total \$16,958,379. There are fifty-eight claims, totalling \$11,342,771, based on passengers losing their lives at sea, and 194 claims, totalling \$239,566, for the loss of personal effects of passengers. The total value of the claims for losses at sea is \$18,501,935.

Claims for losses of property on land total \$3,828,315. Of this the largest amount is \$2,117,164 for goods seized aboard ship. An instance of this is found in the claims for Canadian property seized by the Germans on the wharves at Antwerp. There are eight claims for loss of life on land, totalling \$157,173, and twenty-five claims for illegal restraint, valued at \$271,898. Under personal injury claims there are forty-two claims, totalling \$279,980.

A commission under the Inquiries Act has just issued an order appointing Hon. Sir Douglas Hays, Chief Justice of New Brunswick, a commissioner to inquire into and report upon all claims which have been made for reparation for damage caused by illegal warfare on the part of the late enemy.

All persons who have already filed their claims are being asked to amplify these on forms provided for the purpose. This proof will be returned to the reparations commissioner. Department of the Secretary of State, at an early date. General publicity notice is being given that unless claims are made immediately they will not receive attention.

It is probable Sir Douglas will hold investigations in different parts of Canada, owing to the impossibility of certain classes attending at a central court.

MR. KING TALKS ON WOMEN'S VOTE

Deals With Appeal Recently Issued by Prime Minister—Touches on Tariff Question—Progressive Party

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 1.—Hon. Mackenzie King, leader of the Liberal party, dealt with Premier Meighen's appeal to the women of Canada at his meeting here last night. The Prime Minister, said Mr. King, claimed to be responsible for having given women the franchise. Previous to 1917, he said, the law had been that the Federal franchise was based on the laws of the various provinces. The province of British Columbia, Alberta, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Ontario already had given women the right to vote, and under the Federal law as it stood previous to 1917, these women had the right to a Federal vote when they fulfilled provincial requirements. The Union Government, said Mr. King, had simply restricted voting to the women from whom they expected votes.

Mr. King addressed a meeting at Gananoque in the afternoon, at which he attacked the statement that the issue in the present fight was between free trade and taxation. "There is nobody in this country today standing for free trade," Mr. King declared. "It is nonsense for the Prime Minister to try to frighten the people by putting forward a camouflage issue. What Mr. Meighen seeks to have the people entirely overlook is the record of his Government during the last sixteen months."

Mr. King again discussed the railway situation, and criticized the Government for the use of closure in Parliament. He concluded with a reference to the Progressive movement. He believed the Progressive movement had become really a class movement, and as such was against the best interests of the country at large.

SOVIET'S MINISTER MAY ASK MORATORIUM

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Leonid Krasin, the Russian Bolshevik Minister of Trade and Commerce, is to take up with Mr. Lloyd George the question of Russia's debts and commercial revival. It is learned in Russian official circles that there is a probability of Krasin's suggesting a moratorium regarding Russia if such a measure of relief is granted to Germany.

M. Krasin and M. Litvinoff probably will go to Washington before the arms conference ends, in order to settle United States interest in the debt question.

SOCIAL SERVICE MAN ATTACKS JUDICIARY

EDMONTON, Dec. 1.—At a meeting of the annual convention of the Social Service Council held here this afternoon the judiciary of Canada was attacked by Secretary H. H. Hull for what he called their apparently biased decisions on liquor cases, and suggested impeachment proceedings and removal from their high offices. Mr. Hull stated that he intended to bring in a resolution asking the authorities to make investigations regarding one judge, and an interview afterward stated that his statements did not, by any means, refer to the entire bench.

Mr. Hull would like in some way to force an investigation as to the fitness of the judge to occupy his position on the bench, especially in regard to liquor cases.

One of the greatest obstacles to law enforcement, both with the bootleggers and the illicit still, said Mr. Hull, "is the apparent seemingly biased decisions that are being given by both magistrates and judges. Our opinion, of course, may be due to ignorance of law, but I am convinced that there are judges in Canada whose personal conduct regarding the observance of our liquor laws has brought them into such popular contempt that we cannot expect to have our liquor laws adequately enforced unless we insist on impeachment proceedings, suggested by an outraged public opinion, have been taken against them and they have been removed from their high offices."

LANDRU ASSERTS HIS INNOCENCE

"Bluebeard of Gambais" Poses in Court When His Death Is Pronounced—Great Crowd of Spectators

VERSAILLES, Dec. 1.—Henri Désire Landru, "The Bluebeard of Gambais," smiled last night for the first time since his trial opened. A flickering expression of amusement crossed his face as he listened to the fateful words of Judge Gilbert sending him to the guillotine for a series of the most heinous crimes in the history of French jurisprudence.

"Thank you, gentlemen," said Landru, flourishing his weatherbeaten face in a mocking bow to the jury, and he disappeared through the little door leading to the Versailles jail.

While the verdict was awaited the slayer of 10 women and a boy spoke words of encouragement to his counsel, who, tired and worn out after his strenuous efforts to save his client from death, was on the verge of collapse.

"Strange it is that a man standing in the shadow of death should console his defender," Landru remarked at one time to those sitting nearby. He refused to be a party to a petition asking President Millerand to commute the sentence to life imprisonment, which was signed, among others, by the jury.

"I refuse to ask for mercy," he said. "A man like me wants justice, not mercy. You think I am guilty; let me die."

His remarks after reaching the cell were also characteristic of this strange character, the record of whose gruesome deeds as unfolded in the courtroom has drawn the attention of all France and thousands of persons in other countries.

"It has been a great show," he said. "I am now satisfied."

"I give you a rendezvous for the end of February or the beginning of March to show you how an innocent man died."

The last hours of the trial saw one of the greatest crowds at the courtroom ever seen in Versailles.

RECORD OF HOMICIDES IN UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Homicides in the United States in 1920 totalled approximately 9,000, a decrease of 500 from the 1919 record, according to a computation by Frederick L. Hoffman, statistician of the Prudential Life Insurance Company of America.

The figures, made public last night, through The Spectator, showed Memphis, Tenn., still in the lead with a killing record of 63.4 persons for every 100,000 of population.

In general the tables showed that in Southern States the proportion of negroes was from 3 1/2 to 7 times that of whites.

HEADS THAT ACHE AND PAIN

It is hard to drag along with a head that aches and pains all the time. In nine cases out of ten, persistent headaches are due to poisoned blood, the blood being rendered impure through some derangement of the stomach, liver or bowels, but no matter which organ is to blame, the cause must be removed before permanent relief can be obtained.

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TEN ARE KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

Fatal Collision Occurs on Oregon-Washington Railway Near The Dalles—Four of Injured Expected to Die

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 1.—Six persons were killed and a head-on collision shortly after midnight between the eastbound Portland-Spokane Limited and the westbound Oregon-Washington Limited trains of the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation Company, two miles east of Celilo.

The dead: C. J. Yarbrough, porter, train No. 12; Jack Cole, McMinville, Ore., aged 5.

Mrs. J. W. Wallin, Amity, Ore.; A. H. McBride, marine guard on train No. 12; L. J. Kirk, Joseph, Ore.; George Bristow, fireman.

Twenty-two persons were injured. The Portland-Spokane Limited No. 12 left Portland last night and the westbound Oregon-Washington Limited No. 17 was due in Portland at 7:15 a.m.

The injured were rushed to The Dalles, where first aid was rendered, and are now en route to Portland on a special train which will be met by a corps of doctors and nurses who left Portland early this morning.

On account of the bridge at Eagle Creek being damaged by high water, it was necessary to detour all Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation trains over the Spokane, Portland and Seattle between Portland and Celilo.

Train No. 12 had just transferred to the Oregon-Washington main line at Celilo and was proceeding east when it met No. 17, which was late, having been delayed by water troubles in the vicinity of Gibbon and Kamela. Celilo is 97 miles east of Portland.

Four More Victims
THE DALLES, Ore., Dec. 1.—Discovery of four unidentified bodies, believed to be of men who were shovelling snow from the tracks, brings the death list to ten in the train wreck which occurred near here Wednesday midnight.

The head-on collision at midnight between eastbound and westbound trains occurred on the right-hand track, which for a short distance is used by trains in both directions. The wreck is one mile past 97 and within about half a mile of Celilo station. Both trains were making a speed of thirty miles an hour, according to railroad men here.

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Squadron Goes to West Indies

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—The Canadian naval squadron, comprising the cruiser Aurora and destroyers Patriot and Patrician, will sail from Halifax December 10, for the West Indies. Two Canadian submarines are already at Bermuda. The whole fleet will return to Halifax about the end of April.

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STATES ATTITUDE OF QUEBEC LIBERALS

ALLANDALE, Ont., Dec. 1.—The reply of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux to the rumors concerning himself and other Liberal members and their allegiance to the leadership of Hon. W.

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WOULD CHANGE CLASSIFICATION

Railways Are Credited With Intention of Making Up for Rate Reduction—Vancouver Board Takes Action

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—That the loss of 10 per cent to the railways in the freight cut will probably be made up by a proposed new classification of freight, Number 17, which will increase rates to a larger amount than the recent reduction, was brought out at a meeting of the transportation bureau of the Board of Trade.

It is proposed to raise the minimum carried by each car from 24,000 to 26,000 pounds. Other proposed changes are to put the sixth class freight in the fifth class rate, the fourth in the third, and so on, which would mean an increase in freight rates.

The meeting went on record as opposing any new classification, and the matter was left in the hands of the chairman, W. F. McIntosh.

British Columbia will enter a very strong protest at a meeting likely to be called in the East.

It was stated that the proposed increase in demurrage rates would be effective almost immediately.

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PLAN RADICAL CHANGE FOR LONDON COUNTY

LONDON, Dec. 1.—In response to the request of the Ministry of Health, the London County Council has appointed a committee to make recommendations regarding a more efficient administration of London County.

The council has approved the committee's report, the main features of which call for the formation of a giant metropolis, reaching from Windsor in the west, to Gravesend in the east, Hertford in the north and Reigate in the south, to be under a central local government.

The City of Greater London is the main suggested for the new unit, which would absorb the whole of Middlesex and large portions of other counties, while the central government would control practically all public services.

LEGISLATURE WILL END TOMORROW

Expected Present Session of Parliament Will End This Evening or Tomorrow at Latest

Present arrangements call for this session of the Legislature closing this evening, or at latest, tomorrow. The order paper is being rapidly cleared of the arrears of legislation, and there is comparatively little ahead of a contentious nature that cannot be got through with.

With the estimates almost completed—there may be one or two items left over for today—and of the legislation still left there are few amendments forthcoming—the members are confidently looking for their escape today.

Sixty-two Acts have been tabled during the session, none of them of very contentious nature, and the great bulk more or less minor amendments.

The drive made by the business interests of the province against the proposal of the Government to hand over to the municipalities the personal property tax, the while retaining the income tax, was a marked incident of the session.

The House opened on October 18, so it has been in session slightly over six weeks, one of the shortest sessions in many years.

SUPPLEMENTARIES NEARLY A MILLION

Additional Estimates of Expenditure Tabled in House Provide Quarter of Million for Unemployment Relief

Supplementary estimates tabled in the Legislature yesterday afternoon call for an additional outlay to those set forth in the regular estimates of \$939,037.19. Provision has been made for \$250,000 for the relief of unemployment, and \$200,000 to repair the damage by floods along the line of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

By department, the chief items of additional outlay are:

Agriculture \$ 40,200
Attorney-General 127,000
Education 20,200
Finance 21,900
Labor 25,000
Lands 25,303
Provincial Secretary 17,000
Public Works 27,644
Railways 25,000
Capital outlays 256,373

Compensation for tubercular cattle calls for \$25,000, in addition to the \$200,000 already voted; \$30,000 in addition to the \$500,000 voted for mother's pensions; \$10,000 for constitutional legislation; a general law code; \$25,000 in addition to \$50,000 in the main estimates for all investigations in the Peace River section; \$20,000 for the relief of the poor and sick, for which the main vote was \$25,000; grants in aid of food sufferers, \$10,000 for Britannia Beach and \$3,000 for Fort Couillard.

The original estimates tabled two weeks ago called for an aggregate expenditure for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1923, of \$17,927,297.46 on current account, and \$3,373,165.36 on capital account, a grand aggregate of \$21,300,462.82.

While these estimates have been under consideration in the House there have been some reductions, but while it is not possible as yet to total these reductions, it is not likely that they will, all told, exceed a million. If that proves to be the case, the addition of the supplementary votes, totalling \$939,037.19, will just about wipe out the reductions effected and leave the aggregate outlays for administration for the fiscal year at about the total of the main estimates.

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Cosy Lounging Robes

Mother would certainly appreciate one of these cosy and warm Lounging Robes as a Christmas remembrance. Many to choose from at \$5.75 to \$15.00

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Underskirts make a most useful and practical Christmas remembrance. Our present stock offers a fine selection for gift giving, at \$5.00 to \$12.50

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Every woman appreciates an apparel gift, for it is something that can be put on and enjoyed often. Gift Blouses in a splendid variety of new styles, attractively priced, are ready for Christmas shoppers, at \$3.50 to \$25.00

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What a sensible and useful gift an Umbrella would make for mother, sister or sweetheart! Here you will find an excellent showing to choose from, priced at \$2.25 to \$19.50

When in Doubt Give Merchandise Certificates Redeemable in Any Department

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Committee Rooms, 631 Johnson St.

Liquor Revenue in Quebec

QUEBEC, Dec. 1.—Nearly \$300,000 has been paid into the port of Quebec by the provincial liquor commission since July, according to a statement of a member of the commission yesterday. The actual figures are, customs duties, \$174,594; excise, \$117,000.

Would Honor Marshal Foch

MONTREAL, Dec. 1.—The University of Montreal has decided to offer the honorary degree of doctor of laws to Marshal Foch on the occasion of his visit here next week.

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CANADA'S PRIME MINISTER

No feature of the present election campaign stands out in the foreground with such distinction and conviction as that embodied by Mr. Arthur Meighen, the Prime Minister. His opponents, as well as his followers, have had to acknowledge that he is in downright earnest, and that there is the ring of truth and sincerity in all his utterances. Although one of not overbearing physique, his mind has triumphed over any bodily frailties in the campaign, during which he has been called upon to make efforts that would tax the strength and enthusiasm of anyone endowed with less courage, or who entertained any doubts about the justice of the principles which he advocated. His swiftness in capacity to analyze the weakness in any argument advanced by his political opponents is a faculty which has never been enjoyed heretofore with similar strength by any of our public men. In expounding his own policies he is clear and logical, and is able to make details and facts in such a manner that he cannot fail to inspire confidence in the belief that his motives are good, his principles sound, while the whole country knows that his political record is unstained.

Mr. Meighen, through his personality, has brought what is best in the intellectual life of the country to bear on the science of government. His capacity for hard work, his mastery of debate, and his statesmanlike handling of any subject, no matter how intricate or contentious, led to his having been given charge of pilotage through the House of Commons nearly every policy of magnitude which was undertaken during the Great War. His capacity for hard work and the acuteness of his intellect have been an inspiration of enthusiasm to his colleagues in office and sources of never-failing wonder to his political opponents, who have been compelled to admire his tireless energy. His is the studious mind which can apply knowledge to all the practical issues of the day, throw light in dark places, and bring to bear upon every subject which comes within the scope of government, the impassioned clarity of sound judgment. He is at once the scholar-statesman and the business mind in politics, a combination as rare as it is valuable.

Premier Meighen cannot be spared at a time like this from the government of this Dominion. He is the outstanding personality of the campaign and a product of Canada, of whom the country may well be proud. The impression which Mr. Meighen created at the Imperial Conference was an unusual one, even in London, where the press and public are accustomed to weigh and appraise all the principal figures in Empire affairs. There, as well as in his native land, it is realized at once that he has achieved the summit of political eminence in Canada through the sheer force of intellect. It is realized, too, that he stands for the traditional policy of Canadian statesmen since Confederation, namely, that Canada "must continue an integral part of the British Empire, but with the largest possible measure of freedom which such a position can permit." It was of Mr. Meighen that the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that his was "the ablest mind that the Canadian Conservative Party has produced." The force of his appeal to the country for a renewal of power is the strength of all that is best in high administrative capacity. It is an appeal to all who recognize merit and appreciate sincerity, and an appeal to all who, because of the issue of the campaign, wish this country to continue to direct her own economic destiny so that the Dominion may be maintained as a land of opportunity for her own people.

NO REFERENDUM NEEDED

Much of the time of the Legislature has been spent in discussing a "beer clause," which appears to have been out of order from the very beginning, inasmuch as no private member of the House can initiate legislation which involves the expenditure of public money. Without the consent of the Premier, no such resolution can be introduced as a Government measure, and the attitude of the Conservative Opposition, in describing the procedure as unconstitutional, is sustained by the plain evidence of facts, to which the Legislature should have been privy from the beginning. Captain Mackenzie, who was responsible for the resolution, would have done well to confine himself to dealing with such legislation as a private member can initiate, and he could have done so by introducing such amendments to the Liquor Control Act as would have meant the broadening of facilities to obtain beer. We admit that his purpose was honest, but apparently he was ill-advised, for the facilities which the people want are not those implied by a re-introduction of the bar, no matter under what safeguards.

We have urged that the permit

system, where it affects the purchase of beer, should be abolished. It has been pointed out that the people who want beer should be able to secure it direct from the breweries in preference to through the Government liquor stores. The Government can secure its profit just the same, either through a label, or a tax levied on sales by the brewers. The law can be made sufficiently strict to permit of no evasions, and we believe any measure respecting beer which would obviate the necessity of going for this beverage to Government stores would meet with popular favor. We have pointed out, also, that legislation should be considered which would permit the sale of beer with meals served in hotels and public dining rooms. In hotels, under the present law, occupants are permitted to have any liquors they want in their rooms, and we are inclined to think that this privilege is far more liable to abuse than any practice which would permit the consumption of beer with meals in public dining rooms. These amendments could have been made to the Liquor Control Act, when initiated by a private member of the Legislature. None of them would have contravened the desire of the people in having voted for government control and the sale of liquors in sealed packages, for under the proposals mentioned the liquor would still be purchased in sealed packages.

It should be the duty of the Legislature to learn, from the operation of the Liquor Control Act, how it can be amended to meet the wishes of the people. So far as we know, the present Legislature was elected to put this legislation in force. The people trust it to do the right thing. They do not want to be consulted over mere methods of procedure. The idea of holding another referendum, so soon after the last, with all the expense which it would involve, would not have proved popular. The Legislature should be sufficiently confident of itself to amend the Liquor Act on the basis of experience, and within limits which will make it a little more elastic than at present and more consonant with the public will.

THE NAVAL RATIO

Japan has defined her standpoint on the reduction of naval armaments, and it is that she should have a 70 per cent ratio. In other words, where Britain and the United States have ten capital ships each, Japan expects to have seven. This ratio she regards as necessary for her defence, and, therefore, her security as a nation, and it may be said that Japan should know better than any other country what are her naval needs in the light of any proposed reduction in armaments. From the beginning of the Washington Conference it was apparent that radical differences of opinion were bound to arise. The United States was expected to make some definite suggestion which would form a basis of discussion where naval armaments were concerned. This she did, but it was never supposed that the formula she put forward would be accepted as it stood. It was open to grave criticism, for it was necessary at once to look beyond its immediate implications and ascertain what bearing it would have on the standards of naval power in the future.

It was apparent at once that the American formula, if followed, would lead to two things. Firstly, and of vital interest to this Empire, it means that, if adopted, American naval power will be equal in capital ships to that of Britain after a certain period of time. In this decision, being one of the effects of the formula, no consideration seems to have been given to Great Britain having vastly greater need of sea power than the United States, owing to the territory which she has to police and the extent of the coasts which she has to defend. From this standpoint, the American formula was not the outcome of purely altruistic reasoning. Secondly, the proposal was designed to accord to Japan only three-fifths of the power in capital ships according to either Britain or the United States. Japan, on her own behalf, but still with the belief that there should be a reduction in naval armaments, maintains that she should have seven-tenths the power in capital ships of that to be awarded either of the two great naval powers. If Japan persists in her policy, as outlined by Vice-Admiral Kato on behalf of his Government, there is no nation or group of nations which can say her nay.

There is to be no formula dealing with a reduction in land armaments because France has spoken and defined the limits beyond which she will not go. Japan has now defined her limits in a naval sense, and these are based on her own belief affecting her national security. It is in that basis only that any reduction in armaments can be affected, and it is upon the will to compromise that the sincerity and good faith of the Washington Conference will be tested. We have maintained that in the formula laid down Britain's right to sea power is placed in a false position. Time alone can prove this, but the wisdom of the Empire's statesmen may yet find a solution which will not be so inimical to British interests as that which is now proposed. The real solution to the whole question lies in a hard and fair triple alliance between Britain, Japan and the United States. The latter country seems averse to entering into any entangling engagements, as such alliances are described by any State which desires to preserve a policy of isolation where foreign affairs are concerned.



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Umbrellas with strong cotton covers and neat ring or cord handles. Price, \$2.95.

Kiddies' Umbrellas, with strong frames and colored bangle handle, with cord attached; also many with sturdy crook handles, suitable for boys. Prices, \$1.95 to \$4.50.

Women's Smart Suit Case Umbrellas with good wearing covers and neat handles. Priced at \$4.50.



Gift Gloves

The gift of gloves is both sensible and practical, and it is one that is sure of a hearty welcome.

Perrin's Club Quality Cape Skin Gloves with pique sewn seams and one dome fastener; grey, brown and tan. Per pair, \$3.00.

Perrin's Fine French Kid Gloves, made of specially selected skins, with self pointers; brown, grey and black. Per pair, \$3.50.

Perrin's French Kid Gloves with heavy contrasting points and two dome fasteners; white, champagne, grey, tan, navy, brown and black. Per pair, \$3.00.



Silk Hosiery for Xmas Gifts

Pure Thread Silk Hose with double soles, heels and toes; shades of cordovan, pearl, Morocco, and dark grey, navy, black and white; all sizes. Per pair, \$1.25.

Radium Pure Thread Silk Hose of fine quality, with wide suspender tops; shades of cordovan, smoke, navy, beaver, grey and black; all sizes. Per pair, \$1.69.

Radium Pure Thread Silk Hose with deep elastic or suspender tops; colors cordovan, brown, smoke, black and white; all sizes. Per pair, \$1.95.

Pure Thread Silk Drop Stitch Hose with high reinforced heels and double soles; colors black, cordovan, navy, grey and white; all sizes. Per pair, \$2.50.

Novelty Pure Thread Silk Hose in tan, brown, navy, black and cordovan stripe effects; all sizes. Per pair, \$2.50.

The Latest 1-1 Rib Glove Silk Hose with Pontex heels; black only; sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair, \$4.50.

All Silk Hosiery Packed in Neat Gift Boxes

Warm Bath Robes and Kimonos \$7.95 to \$11.50

Just received a shipment of warm, Bath Robes, made from fleecy eiderdown and beacon cloth in a big range of colors and designs, trimmed with satin bandings and fancy cords; attractive and cosy garments, in all sizes. Prices \$7.95 to \$11.50.

Warm Kimonos, made of corduroy velvets in attractive styles and colors. Price, \$11.50.

An inexcusable error in yesterday's news columns connected the name of Mr. Henry C. Hall as being one of a number of Dr. R. F. Toimie's supporters who met at luncheon in the Pacific Club on Wednesday. As is generally known, Mr. Hall is a Liberal, and is supporting Mr. William Ivel, the Liberal candidate in the present Federal election campaign.

The Weekly News, established in 1821, was the first regular paper in British Columbia.

STANDARD OIL GETS CALIFORNIA INTEREST

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—K. R. Kingsbury, president of the Standard Oil Company of California, announced yesterday that his company had acquired a minority interest in the Pacific Oil Company. He declared that for many years part of the oil from the lands that were transferred to the Pacific Oil Company on its formation had been delivered to the Standard Oil Company of California for use in its refineries, and this fact, coupled with the desirability of strengthening the American ownership of Pacific Oil, had led his company to purchase the interest referred to.

It is reported that British interests, represented by the Royal Dutch Company, also had been negotiating for the property.

Commercial Traveller Robbed
WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 1.—R. Simpson, commercial traveller, of Barrie, was held up last night by three men while waiting for a street car and robbed of more than \$500.

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An Exceptional Offering of Exclusive Winter Coats at \$59.50

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See Window Display

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Coats, Very Special \$19.50

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These smart and practical coats are made from an excellent quality wool velour in all popular shades, flare back and belted styles, with large convertible collars, novelty cuffs and pockets; sizes 16, 18, 36 to 40.

Coats, Special \$25.00

The coats featured are in the season's smartest styles and wonderful values; developed from wool velour and other wool coatings, in belted and flare back styles, with raglan, bell or set-in sleeves and convertible collar of self material.

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Warm Winter Coats for girls 4 to 14 years, developed from all-wool materials, in belted styles, button trimmed and well lined. Reduced to \$11.95.

Smart Coats for girls 12 to 14 years, several good styles; made from Blanket Cloth, Silvertone, Bolivia and Tweeds; finished with buttons and fancy stitching; nicely lined. Reduced to \$14.95.

Stylish and Practical Coats for girls 12 to 15 years, made from heavy quality velour, in flare and belted styles, smartly trimmed with buttons, braid and fancy stitching; popular colors. Reduced to, each, \$16.95.



Beacon Blankets and Robe Flannels Suitable for Xmas Gifts

Bathrobe Blankets

Size 72 x 90—Each \$8.50

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A Beacon Comfortable in your bedroom will impart a dainty atmosphere to all its surroundings; they come in a variety of pleasing shades.

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A splendid wearing quality of travelling rug in plaid designs.

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Shown in a large variety of floral and Indian designs, also in plain colors.

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In a soft, fleecy quality; colors pink and blue, in Teddy Bear, chicken and rabbit designs.

Size 30 x 40, each, \$1.35.

Size 36 x 50, special quality, at, each, \$2.95.

Size 30 x 40, silk bound, extra special. Each, \$4.25.

Fancy Turkish Towels for Xmas

Excellent weaves in plain and fancy designs, with pink, blue, lavender and yellow colored border and stripe effects.

Size 20 x 39, blue stripe border. Each, 75c.

Size 19 x 34, fancy blue, mauve, pink and yellow. Each, 85c.

Size 19 x 34, white with pink and blue border. Each, 85c.

Size 22 x 41, white with fancy check in pink and blue. Each, 95c.

Size 20 x 39, white with pink, blue, mauve and yellow borders. Each, 95c.

Size 23 x 38, white with fancy stripe in pink and blue. Each, \$1.40.

Size 23 x 40, fancy white with pink and blue border. Each, \$1.50.

Size 24 x 42, white with pink, blue and mauve border. Each, \$1.65.

New Arrivals in Fine Wool, Serge and Tricotine Dresses

Specially Priced \$19.50 to \$25.00



Children's Half-Length Socks

Children's Half Length Wool and Silk Socks, English make; white only; sizes 6 to 8. Prices, 85c to \$1.15.

Children's Half Length Wool and Silk Socks in mauve, pearl and sky stripes; sizes 6 to 8. Price, 95c.

Children's Half Length Silk Socks in white, with fancy drop stitch cuff tops, in sky, pink and black stripes; sizes 7 to 8½. Price, 85c.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of December 2, 1911.)

Deep Snow—The snow at Nanaimo is eighteen inches in depth. The weight of snow on Harry Simpson's barn, crushed in the roof and wrecked the building. Simpson has barely had time to get his great mowing machine out before the building went down.

The Land Registry—Mr. R. E. Jackson of the legal firm of Drake, Jackson & Allan, has been ordered the office of Registrar of Titles, vacant since the resignation of Mr. Alston, about six months ago.

Victoria Harbor—It is said that the Dominion Government will undertake the deepening of Victoria Harbor by means of dredging.

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TURN DOWN PETITION
Legislature Refused to Grant Early Case in Appeal Court to Mining Interests

"Like the Vancouver bill and the flowers that bloom in the spring" was Mr. Pooley's description of the hardy annual of Mr. A. Carew Gilson and others, of Vancouver, who presented a petition to the Legislature yesterday afternoon seeking a speedy trial in the Court of Appeal in connection with their claims as regard mineral lands in the Nelson district on Vancouver Island.

The matter dates back to 1914, when the Government passed legislation which kept the petitioners out of the courts.

Several of the members opposed the printing of the petition on the ground of economy and the fact that a special committee went thoroughly into the matter in 1920 and presented an unfavorable report. The petition was voted down.

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At \$1.00
Values to \$2.00

Incense, Tea and Coffee Pots, Doublet Baby Plates, Hand-Painted Cream Jugs, Creams, Bonbons, Butter Tubs, Cake Plates, Cups and Saucers, Syrup Jugs, Teapot Stands, Cream and Sugar, Spoon Trays.

At \$1.50
Values to \$2.50

Teapots, Doublet Cups and Saucers, Rack Plates, Baby Plates, Hand-Painted Jugs, Bonbon, Mayonnaise and Ladle, Butter Tub.

At \$2.00
Values to \$3.75

Hand-Painted Nut Bowls, Bonbon Salad Bowls, Celery Trays, Cream and Sugar, Spoon Trays, Butter Tubs, Syrup Jugs and Stand, Bread Boxes, Candlesticks, Vases, Jardinières, Statues, Teapots, British Bull Boxes.

At \$2.50
Values to \$5.00

Glass and Pottery Jardinières, Hand-Painted Vases, Creams and Sugar, Mayonnaise, Bonbons and Ladles, Cream, Teapots.

At \$3.00
Values to \$6.00

Jardinières, Statues, Bonbons, Vases, Hand-Painted China, Bonbon, Cake Plates, Bonbon Trays, Cream and Sugar, Mayonnaise, Bonbons, Jars, Vases, Tobacco Jars, Doublet Jugs.

BEER QUESTION IS DEAD FOR SESSION

Apparently House Has Now Decided to Quietly Drop Whole Matter, Though No Definite Announcement

There will be no beer clauses or beer referendum bill introduced in the Legislature this session.

Following the incident in the House on Wednesday night when the House, in committee of the whole, approved of the Markens motion to ask His Honor to send down a bill providing for the sale of beer by the glass in licensed hotels and bona fide clubs, such measure to be submitted to the people by way of referendum, only to have Mr. Speaker rule in favor of the point of order presented by Mr. J. H. Clearhue that as such a resolution called for the expenditure of public money, it could come only from the Government, there were several and lengthy consultations among the Liberals yesterday.

There was absolutely nothing forthcoming yesterday from the Government relative to its attitude. Yesterday afternoon's session was scheduled to open at 2 o'clock, but it was well after 3 p.m. before the House met. Everyone was expecting some pronouncement by the Premier on the matter, but none was forthcoming.

UNEMPLOYED MAKE APOLOGY TO CHIEF

Police Head Tells Men They Broke Promise in Going to Parliament Buildings Without Notifying Him

A resolution apologizing to Chief Fry for going over to the Parliament Buildings in a body without notifying him and thus breaking a promise made was passed at a meeting of the Victoria and District Unemployment Council held yesterday afternoon in the Trades Hall, Broad Street.

The case of a man from Nanaimo who had been refused assistance by the Mayor because he was not a citizen of Victoria had been brought before the meeting and someone had suggested that the person in question had better go to Chief Fry and ask for aid. It was then pointed out that the Chief was standing at the door of the hall, and he was asked what the Nanaimo citizen should do.

The Chief replied that he had not come to the meeting to make a speech but to see that the men kept their agreement, which they had already broken. Someone asked what agreement he referred to, and he pointed out that a committee of the men had promised him that if they were going to move from one place to another in a body or gather together, they would let him know.

The unemployed, he said, had come from the Drill Hall meeting over to the Parliament Buildings and held a demonstration there without notifying him in order that he might give protection if necessary.

Chairman Rowland replied to the Chief with the statement that he didn't want to be sarcastic, but he wanted the Chief to understand that the unemployed were not wild animals. The chairman was promptly told to sit down, and was asked to apologize to the Chief for the breaking of the promise. He made "an explanation," pointing out that there had been no intention of breaking faith, but could not see that an apology was necessary. The meeting thereupon unanimously passed a resolution calling upon the chair to tender the apology of the men.

Mr. Moulton, the representative of the unemployed who is working with the Unemployment Committee of the City Council in the giving of assistance to the destitute, reported to the meeting, pointing out that his presence on the committee had proved already of considerable value. One man wanted the unemployed pool resolution that the unemployed pool their votes with their general committee so that that body might use them as a weapon. In spite of the question after question asked, the mover failed to explain just how the votes were to be utilized, and the resolution was finally killed by the passage of an amendment giving the committee power to speak for the unemployed.

It was pointed out that a man who wished food from the city had first to secure a ticket from the Government Employment Bureau, where he must register twice a month, and every man who was not registered there was told to do so. A large proportion of those present, including the secretary, thereupon left the hall for the bureau.

The meeting, at which probably four or five hundred were present, adjourned until this afternoon at two o'clock.

MR. SPEAKER DISPLAYS SOME INDIGNATION

Hon. Mr. Manson, in Legislature, Slates Vancouver Paper Because of Its Headlines on House Proceedings

Exception to headlines in The Vancouver Sun was taken by Mr. Speaker in the Legislature last night, when he called attention to an issue of yesterday morning's date, referring to the report of the proceedings in the Legislature on the beer question, and made the following statement in connection therewith:

"When this House did me the honor of electing me as its presiding officer at the first session of this Legislature, I firmly resolved that any serious allegations would be laid to one side at all times during my occupancy of the chair. The public of this Province is entitled to a fair and truthful report of the proceedings of this House. The headlines of the article in question are neither fair, nor do they convey a truthful impression of the proceedings of last evening. Your Speaker did not rule 'against a Government motion,' but against the report of a committee constituted on the motion of a private member—the second member for Vancouver.

"The ruling was given on the facts as presented to me on a point of order taken by the junior member for Victoria, a recognized supporter of I believe, of the Ministry. I know nothing of a so-called 'Conservative stand' with respect to the matter. My information and observation was that the Conservative opposition members of the House took no part in the discussion of which made the report in question to the House, and I may add that the first objection privately made to me with regard to a member of this House, I endeavor to divorce myself from consideration of the party origin of points of order.

"The headlines referred to are a distinct breach and contempt of the privileges of this House. I trust that a similar contempt will not occur again."

OBITUARY NOTICES

POLLARD—The funeral of the late Edward I. Pollard, whose death occurred at his home, 1214 North Park Street, last Monday, took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from his late home. The service was largely attended by relatives and friends, and the casket was covered with a profusion of beautiful flowers which betokened the popularity of the late soldier. The Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick officiated, and the hymns sung were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. T. Jones, H. Clew, C. Money, J. Wilson, representing the Army and Navy Veterans, and P. Christensen and J. Patterson representing Arctic No. 12. Burial was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

DEACON—There passed away on Wednesday evening in this city, after a long illness, Amanda Angelina Deacon, widow of the late Amos Deacon, at the age of 79 years. The deceased was born in England and had resided here about 27 years. She is survived by Mrs. H. Y. Morrison, and two sons, Mr. W. Carter and Mr. A. Carter. The remains are resting at the B. C. Funeral Chapel and funeral service will be held there on Saturday at 2 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Habershon officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

HAYWARD—The remains of the late Frederick Hayward will be forwarded by the B. C. Funeral Co. this afternoon to Rathwell, Manitoba, where interment will take place. Mrs. Hayward will accompany the remains.

PULLER—The remains of the late Mrs. Emma Puller will be sent to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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—Main Floor

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—2nd Floor

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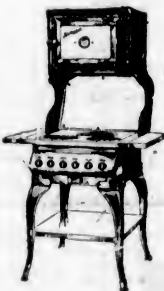
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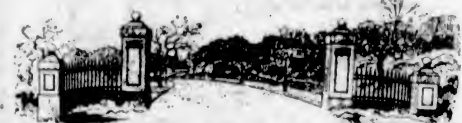
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FRIEND OF CHILDREN REFUSES HER NAME

"It's the Lord's Work," Said Woman Who Gave \$20 to Friendly Help—Many Gifts of Jam Received

"It's the Lord's work. Why should it be necessary for anyone but Him to know who I am?"

This answer, spoken gently, was given by one who made an anonymous gift of \$20 to the Friendly Help a few days ago in response to the appeal which was recently made on behalf of the hungry children of Victoria. The bills had been slipped into Miss Lawson's hand so unobtrusively that she hardly realized the nature of the gift at the moment, and when she asked for the name of the generous giver the door was already closing on the departing visitor.

Many little incidents of this kind have happened during the past two weeks to show how sympathetic is the spirit of many people toward the unfortunate families which have failed upon bad days. A poor working woman who earns her living by scrubbing and cleaning other people's houses at so much per day came to Miss Lawson with a gift of jam, especially asked for in the recent appeal. Appreciating what self-sacrifice this meant in this particular instance, Miss Lawson had declined to accept the gift, but the little woman's pleasure in giving was so apparent that she asked, instead, how it had been managed. The explanation was that the worker had, out of each day's earnings, set aside ten cents to buy jam for the poor children. When there was sufficient stored away she had gone out and made her purchase.

From far and near there have been gifts. An old subscriber of the Friendly Help who is now in England has sent a cheque for \$10. Albert Cobble Hill, Duncan, Sooke and Saanich people have sent or brought gifts of fruit, vegetables, groceries and clothing in more than usual quantity during the past fortnight. Of jam alone more than three hundred jars have been received since the cry of the hungry family reached the ears of the public a few days ago, and every day brings its fresh contribution of supplies to fill the storehouses so continuously sent out to fill the needs of the increasing number of empty cupboards at home.

"And we need everything that we get. The unemployment problem has seldom been worse. We have rarely had more genuine and deserving cases of real need than at present," says Miss Lawson, who wishes to thank the many generous friends who are helping in the present emergency. One of the most urgent needs to which she calls attention is shoes for children. Of the many boots and shoes which come to the room very few are waterproof, and very few are in children's sizes.

The Victoria Boy Scout Association has been asked by the Chamber of Commerce to co-operate with it in delivering a number of appeals to the householders of the city with respect to providing work for the unemployed. The Scout officers and boys are only too glad to do what they can for a "Community Good Turn," and the Scouts and elder Cubs are to meet at the Chamber of Commerce Office, Arcade Building, on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock (or at 2 p.m. if this is impossible) with bicycles ready for the work which they are being asked to do.

BRANTFORD PLANTS ARE RESUMING WORK

BRANTFORD, Ont., Dec. 1.—The Massey-Harris Company yesterday re-engaged over 200 old employees after having been closed down for some time, while the Cokesbury Piano Company has started 150 men to work. Both firms expect to increase their staffs as soon as the various departments can be opened.

This news, coming just before Christmas, has tended to create considerable optimism here, even though the unemployment situation is still serious.



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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. A. Woods, of Vancouver, are visitors to this city.

Miss Daisy Jackson, of Quebec City, is in town, the guest of Mrs. Henry Billingsley, of Marlborough Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kent, of Vancouver, are spending a few days visiting in the Capital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Knight, of Vancouver, are visiting in this city for a few days.

Mr. Neil Murray, of Kamloops, is paying a visit with friends in the city this week. He arrived in Victoria yesterday.

Mrs. Walter C. Nichol has issued invitations for next Thursday evening for the second of a series of "witless mistakes" which are taking place this season at Government House.

Mayor Hurton, of Kamloops, and A. S. Fraser, of that city, were visitors in Victoria yesterday. They were on a business and a pleasure trip combined.

A meeting of the Marguerite Chapter, I.O.O.F., will take place on Monday evening at the home of Miss Macdonald, St. Charles Street, and members are requested to be present.

The many friends of Mrs. E. H. Kent will be pleased to hear that she has left St. Joseph's Hospital, where she has been a patient for the past few weeks, and is now the guest of Mrs. Curtis Cameron, Molton Combe.

Lady Cameron, Mr. Leslie Cameron and Mrs. Lorne Cameron, of Vancouver, and Mrs. John Dixon, of Victoria, are staying with Mr. Augustus and Lady Nanton in Winnipeg, where the funeral of Sir Douglas Cameron took place yesterday.

The bridge club met yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. E. A. E. Irving, "Hawlyn," when three tables were in progress, the players being: Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Mrs. George Johnston, Miss Mackenzie, L. A. Davies, Miss Tooley, Miss Gladys Irving, Miss Macdonald, Miss Adair and Mrs. Basil Combe.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Walter C. Nichol received a large number of guests at Government House, on the occasion of her formal reception day, the first since Mrs. Nichol's recent visit to England. The drawing-room, where the hostess greeted her guests, was beautifully arranged with pink and white chrysanthemums, white carnations, and a shade adorned the tea table.

Spencer's tearooms have been made additionally popular during the past few days by the attractive character of the music which is being given by Mrs. Gertrude Hollinrake Jirick, whose charming vocal numbers are appreciated by all patrons. Mrs. Jirick's engagement, originally designed for the present week only, has been extended to December 8. Mr. Wade is playing her accompaniment.

Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green and Mr. Gideon Hicks have accepted an invitation to take part on a programme to be given on December 14 at the University of Washington auditorium, Seattle. The concert is being arranged by the Amphion Club, of Seattle, under the direction of Claude Madden, and the Victoria artists will supply three groups of numbers.

A very pleasant surprise party was given on Wednesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. A. Jeffreys, at their home, 218 Superior Street, by Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. Barnes, Dr. and Mrs. Collier, Miss Crawther, Mr. Hemmingsway, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Orr, Mr. Owen, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. Witcomb and Mrs. P. Young. The evening was spent in playing games and dancing, and several solos were rendered by guests.

Miss Mary Izard, the popular violinist, made her farewell appearance before Victoria audiences on Wednesday evening in connection with the Ladies' Musical Club recital, as she is leaving today for Vancouver, en route for Montreal, where her marriage takes place a few days before Christmas. She carries with her the good wishes of a large circle of personal friends, and of a big public which has frequently delighted in listening to her charming playing.

The following guests are registered at the James Bay Hotel: Mrs. Bird and children, Mill Bay; Mrs. and Miss Roche, Cowichan Bay; F. W. Foster, Cowichan; Miss Stephens, Duncan; Mrs. C. W. Lonsdale, Shawnigan Lake; Miss Joy Calvert, Milne's Landing; Miss Hope Calvert, Milne's Landing; Richard Peters, Okanagan Landing; Miss A. Cox, Jarry; Miss M. Cox, Calgary; G. C. Polkanham, Calgary; Miss B. Crawford, Vancouver; Miss Effe-Smith, Vancouver; the Rev. W. Arnold Bennett, Vancouver; A. Gray, Victoria; Mrs. G. D. Johnson, Vancouver.

COULDN'T DO HOUSEWORK HEART WAS SO BAD

Many women get weak and run down and unable to look after their household duties owing to the heart action becoming impaired or the nervous system unstrung.

Nature intended women to be strong, healthy and happy instead of sick and wretched. But how can a woman be strong and healthy when day in and day out she has to go through the same routine of work—sweeping, dusting, cooking, washing, etc? Is it any wonder that the heart becomes affected and she gets brittle, faint and dizzy spells, smothering and sinking spells and can't sleep at night?

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Some very Nice Coats of Velour and Silvertone, full silk lined, to be sold at. **\$19.85**

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Dresses of Canton Crepe, Tricotine, Taffeta and Velvet at. **\$18.75**

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visiting in Vancouver, has returned home.

Mr. Jack Cathart, of Victoria, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cathart.

Miss Inchee spent the week-end in Victoria with relatives.

Miss Trantford spent the week-end in Ladysmith.

Miss Hazel Cathart visited in Nanaimo last week.

JAMES ISLAND

Mr. Guy W. Walker, who was elected as registrar for the island in 1920.

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forthcoming election, will also act as returning officer on election day.

The meeting which was to have taken place on Monday evening in the interests of Mr. C. H. Diehle had to be postponed on account of the unfavorable weather. It has been arranged to take place next Monday, December 5.

Capt. Bisset left here last Wednesday for Vancouver to bring over the new launch which has been built for the passenger service between James Island and Saanichton. He is expected to reach here some time today.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gould and daughter Joan left here on Sunday night for Vancouver. Mr. Gould will return on the new launch. He will be in charge of the engine-room. Mrs. Gould expects to return on Thursday.

Miss Margaret Byrnes, who has been confined to her home for a week with a severe cold, returned to town on Monday to resume her studies at St. Margaret's School.

Miss Conna Ford and Miss Lillian Martin spent the week-end here, returning to school on Monday morning.

Miss Ethel Howbottom is suffering from an acute attack of tonsillitis. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

CHEMISTS

Mr. Nachtrieb, of Victoria, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Howe last week.

Mr. Richard W. Nixon, of Victoria, spent a few days here last week looking up old friends.

Mrs. A. E. Cathart, who has been

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OFFICERS CHOSEN BY SAANICH BODY

The annual general meeting of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Association took place in the Agricultural Hall, Saanich, on Saturday afternoon, when the following were elected to office for the ensuing year: President, Mr. H. E. Tanner, Keating, re-elected unanimously; first vice-president, Alexander McDonald, North Saanich; second vice-president, Mr. E. Raper, Burnside Road; honorary patron, Mr. M. B. Jackson, M.P.P.; Mr. F. A. Pauline, M.P.P.

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Business Man Enters Contest



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MR. ARTHUR LINEHAM RUNS FOR ALDERMAN

Active Business Man Enters City Council Contest—Adding to List of Progressive Candidates Already in Field

The list of candidates for municipal office from the ranks of Victoria's business men was augmented yesterday when it was announced that Mr. Arthur Lineham, for many years an active figure in the city's commercial life, had decided to run for alderman.

Mr. Lineham is well known as a partner in the realty and insurance firm of Grant & Lineham, and for many years has taken interest in city affairs, particularly relating to taxation and finance. Within recent months he has taken leadership in the comprehensive plan for the development of Government highways in British Columbia, being the author of a scheme which has already received the endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce and a large number of organizations throughout the Province.

Mr. Lineham is known to be an advocate of an efficient business administration at the City Hall. There are now five active business men in the City Council field—Messrs. Reginald Hayward, Mr. Heiden Gillespie, David Leeming, R. W. Perry and Arthur Lineham, and it is expected that the announcement of their candidature will bring out additional entries.

Members of the Old Guard, who have been able to hold their fort at the City Hall without disturbance for years, are viewing the entry of the new candidates with genuine alarm, and while it is campaign is still young there seems to be plenty of ground for the prediction that the make-up of the council will undergo a more decided change at the next election than at any other contest within recent years.

The distinction of being the first to file nomination papers for the municipal election goes to Alderman John Harvey this year. Yesterday he submitted his credentials to Returning Officer William Rowntree, his sponsor being Messrs. James Forman and J. W. Spencer.

Mr. William Marchant, who will oppose Mayor Porter for the mayoralty, yesterday took out papers, but has not returned them yet.

Mayor Porter, who is apparently thinking very little of the approaching campaign, stated yesterday that no meetings will be held in his interests until after the Federal election. There are eleven clear days before the civic election.

WEDDINGS

Tyrwhitt-Drake-Lawrence

The marriage of Mr. Brian Harley Tyrwhitt-Drake, only son of the late Hon. Mr. Justice Montague Tyrwhitt-Drake of Victoria, and Miss Constance Letitia Lawrence, eldest daughter of the late Hon. H. A. Lawrence and of the Hon. Mrs. Lawrence, took place on Thursday, November 3, at St. Matthew's Church, Greater Vancouver, officiating the Rev. C. R. Gillet. The bride was given away by her uncle, General the Hon. Sir Herbert Lawrence, and Mr. Ernest Tyrwhitt-Drake discharged the duties of best man. Among those at the church were the Hon. Mrs. Lawrence, the bride's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Barnardiston, Miss Jocelyn Weaver-Bridgman, of Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. Tyrwhitt-Drake, and Miss Joyce Tyrwhitt-Drake, and Lady Lawrence, the Hon. Lady Lawrence, and Miss Lawrence, May Lady Lawrence and the Hon. Ann Lawrence, the Hon. Mrs. Quinton-Hill, General Richard Lawrence and Miss Lawrence, Amy Lady Pelly, the Hon. Mrs. Buxton and Miss Buxton. Mrs. Tyrwhitt-Drake and Mrs. Edward Playne, Mrs. Herbert Playne, Mrs. and Mrs. Bell, Miss Lilla Hill, Mrs. James Dunsmuir, of Victoria, Mrs. Hope, Mrs. Bromley, Major Seldon Humphreys and Madame Mottet.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Tyrwhitt-Drake will sail from England on Wednesday next for Victoria, where they will make their future home. Miss Jocelyn Weaver-Bridgman, daughter of Mrs. A. Weaver-Bridgman, of Esquimalt, will accompany them as far as Halifax, where she will spend a few days before returning to her home in this city.

Campbell-Roberts

The marriage of Miss Valeno Roberts, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Roberts, of Duncan, to Mr. Raymond Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Campbell, 2559 Dunlevy Street, Victoria, was quietly solemnized in Seattle, Wash., Thursday, November 24, with Rev. Father Powers, of the Sacred Heart Parish, officiating, and in the presence of immediate relatives. The bride wore a traveling costume of midnight blue, trimmed with fur, and a very becoming hat to match. She wore a corsage of violets. The bride attendants were Miss C. A. Campbell, and the best man Mr. J. Lindley. After the service a wedding dinner was held at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. F. Findley, after which the happy couple left to visit adjacent cities, and on their return will make their home in Seattle.

Menzies-Newman
The following, from a barbed wire paper of October 26, is of considerable local interest, the bride being a daughter of the late Mr. Richard Lano Newman, of "The Deer," Esquimalt, a prominent marine architect, who designed the SS. Prince Rupert, the Prince George and other vessels.

St. Michael's Cathedral was thronged with a gay assemblage yesterday afternoon to witness the marriage ceremony of two of the leading members of local society, Mr. Andrew Menzies, of the British Union Oil Company, and Miss Rosalie Newman, sister-in-law of Dr. H. E. Skeete, senior resident surgeon of the General Hospital. Mr. Menzies is the eldest son of the late W. J. Menzies and Mrs. R. H. Menzies, of Albury House, Burton-on-Trent, England, while Miss Newman is daughter of the late Richard Lano Newman and Mrs. R. L. Newman, at present resident in this island. The bride arrived, accompanied by her

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Sale of Work for Charity—Eastern Star, Five Rays and Sunshine Clubs, Saturday, December 3, 639 Fort Street.

Booklovers' Library, Campbell Bldg. Established 8 years. English books arriving constantly.

Dance—Agricultural Hall, Friday, Dec. 2, Perry's orchestra, dancing from nine to one.

Hummage Sale will be held on Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock, in Store, corner of Hillside and Prior Street. Take Hillside car to Prior.

Follow the "Sports" to the Central Cafe. Merchants' lunch, 35c and 50c. Special supper, from 5:00 to 7:30. Personal attention. P. C. Payne.

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Western Art Studio—Paintings, suitable for Christmas presents. New color prints (local scenery). Miss M. Killo, 491 Union Bank Building. Upstairs.

Burcett-Burchett
A wedding of much interest was quietly celebrated on Saturday last at the Episcopal Church, Esquimalt, when Elizabeth Holford, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sherman, of Duncan, was united in wedlock to Mr. James A. Burcett, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burcett, of Duncan. Reverend Hugh Allen officiating. The bride, who was given in marriage by Commander E. A. Nixon, wore a strikingly handsome fawn-colored costume, with small black hat, and carried a bridal bouquet of Ophelia roses. Miss Isabel Sherman, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and was attired in a becoming frock of navy blue, while the groom was supported by Mr. Edwards, of the Royal Naval College. Following the ceremony the guests were entertained to a wedding breakfast by Commander and Mrs. Nixon at their lovely home, "Hillfarm," Colquhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Burcett will take up their residence at Cobble Hill.

Belgian Election Results
BRUSSELS, Dec. 1.—Official returns from the provincial elections now at hand have completed the compilation of results from the parliamentary balloting, showing that the makeup of the senate will be as follows: Catholics, 73; Socialists, 52; Liberals, 23. The Catholic party had a majority of thirteen over all in the last Senate.

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BROWN WILL OPPOSE

METHODS OF MAJORS

Vancouver Baseball President
Will Fight Against Practice
of Farming Out Players to
the Minors

VANCOUVER, Nov. 30.—That young ball players, just off the sand lots, should graduate into major league company through the minors and that the practice of the majors signing these players and later farming them out under gentlemen's agreement should be stopped, is the opinion of Bob Brown, president of the Vancouver Baseball Club, who, as a member of the national board of the minors, will launch a fight against these methods at the Buffalo convention next week.

"It is unfair to the Class B, C and D leagues to have the majors pick up these stars, sign them at big money and immediately farm them out to minor league clubs, which must meet the salary at which the majors sign them, and who, after developing the player, have no strings on him," President Brown said today. "I intend to lead the fight against the majors at the Buffalo convention, as I firmly believe that every young player should make good through minors before being offered a contract in the majors. At present a major league club hears of a coming star, he is signed at, say, \$350 per month, but is never even taken south for a trial, being shipped to some

minor league club, which must meet the salary, but which has no control over the player, and which, after developing him, is expected to turn him back to the major league club on demand. I do not think it is good for baseball, and in my fight for legislation to prevent this practice I am sure I will have the support of every minor league organization. There should be a stiff penalty against the major league clubs who persist in the practice and the same penalty in the practice and the same place on his services, although they have no idea whether he is a good ball player or just a flash in the pan."

President Brown expects to bring a number of other important matters before the National Association. As a member of the national arbitration board he will be called on to sit on a number of cases which will come up before the baseball moguls.

MACAN MAY LAY OUT
COURSE AT SPOKANE

A. Vernon Macan will probably be engaged to lay out the new 18-hole golf course of the Manito Club in Spokane, William Locke, of San Francisco, is Macan's rival for the position, but because of Macan's popularity in the Northwest he is expected to land the task. Macan, aided by Bob Johnston, the popular Seattle professional, laid out the Inglewood Country Club course in Seattle.

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TEAM TACTICS ARE THE MAIN OBJECTIVE

Aristocrats, in Fine Form Individually, Are Being Coached in Fine Points of Combination Work

Starting the big job of moulding their team into a perfect, smooth-working machine at the very outset of the season, Manager Lester Patrick and Captain Eddie Oatman commenced yesterday to teach the Victoria Aristocrats some of the "inside stuff" which will be used in the penultimate battle this year.

For an hour and a half—a long, grilling workout—the two veterans coached the boys in team play, combination and strategy, and initiated "Simi" Halderson, the ex-Palace star, into the deeper things of professional hockey. Most of the players are nearing mid-season form physically now, so that until the big grind begins in real earnest, practice will be devoted to instruction in tactics and team play.

The idea is to find a combination right now that will be able to fight its way to the top of the ladder in the course of the schedule. Skipper Eddie wants to start the season confident in every department of his team. It is not easy to reach this result. It is necessary first to find out just how each player is working and where he is doing best. And this year the task is complicated by the addition of Halderson, whom the captain is still mulling up.

Drilling in Tactics

The workouts during the rest of the pre-season period will show a lot of things and will determine how the team will line up when the first whistle blows. Meanwhile every member is being drilled in the tactics which the older players have learned through the course of years. This means that there will be a lot of strategy in the Aristocrats' play this winter. The fans may not see it because it moves far too fast. As a matter of fact, the strategy of hockey usually gets lost in the rush as far as the spectators are concerned, but it is there just the same.

Captain Eddie has originated a number of new plays, which it would be difficult to describe on paper and which, of course, are being kept secret anyway. This much can be said about them—they involve new goal-getting methods which will puzzle the Vancouver and Seattle boys. Frederickson, always was keen on this sort of thing, had it down to a fine point with the Falcons. Now he has his old team-mate, Halderson, with him, he will be able to use many of his former ruses to outwit the opposing defence.

Manager Patrick is concentrating pretty heavily on the defence department as well—a department which he knows thoroughly. So far no announcement has been made about the end of the team, but Lester has plans in view. He is very satisfied with the way Moose Johnson is showing up in the preliminary workouts and, of course, Glen Loche is just the same as ever—clean, fast, and almost impassable.

No Loss of Pep

The old Moose is taking to the ice for his umpteenth season with the same pep which made him a star even among the youngsters last year. Of course, he says he's going to have a good season. He always has said so—and always his prediction has been correct. The same prophecy will stand this year, judging by the way the veteran was burning up the ice yesterday.

After an hour and a half at it, Eric remarked that he was feeling like the proverbial million dollars.

INTERCITY CHESS

Friendly Matches to Be Played Here Tomorrow—Tournaments in the New Year

Tomorrow some ten or a dozen members of the North Vancouver Chess Club will arrive by the afternoon boat from Vancouver, to play a series of friendly games with members of the Victoria Chess Club.

This is not a match between the two clubs, but a visit to get acquainted, and the games will be played at the room of the local club, at 13 Arcade Building, commencing at about 4 o'clock and will be continued during the afternoon and evening.

CANADIAN WINS

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Mike McTigue, Canadian middleweight champion, won the decision over Jeff Smith, Bayonne, N.J., in a 15-round bout here tonight in Madison Square Garden.

The local club hopes to arrange matches later with the Vancouver Chess Club, the North Vancouver Chess Club and the Alberni District Club.

The interest excited by the "ladder" games now being played in the local club continues more or less unabated, but some of the members are looking forward to the organization of a tournament and a championship of Vancouver Island tournament in the New Year.

CLUB STANDINGS IN THE SOCCER LEAGUES

First Division									
W	L	D	G	Pts	W	L	D	G	Pts
West	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Metropole	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
St. James	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Garfield	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Thames	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Second Division									
W	L	D	G	Pts	W	L	D	G	Pts
St. James	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Metropole	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
St. James	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Metropole	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
St. James	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Third Division									
W	L	D	G	Pts	W	L	D	G	Pts
St. James	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Metropole	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
St. James	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Metropole	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
St. James	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0

UP-ISLAND BASKETBALL

CHEMUNO, Nov. 30.—Two games of basketball took place in the Recreation Hall last Wednesday night between the local Senior and Junior men's teams and Lady Smith's Seniors and Juniors.

The Senior game was not good owing to the visitors' unorthodox play. The score was 34 to 20 in favor of the visitors.

The Junior game was played better, but was not very exciting. The score was 17 to 12 in favor of Lady Smith's.

A good dance and supper followed. The Senior ladies' three-piece orchestra supplied excellent dance music.

Mr. Jack Pullen refereed. The men's basketball teams went out to play Nanaimo High School teams last Friday night. The ladies' game was good and clean. The score was a tie, 8 to 8.

The men's game was good, fast and clean. Score, 26 to 19 in favor of Nanaimo. The ladies' game was refereed afterwards to a good supper and a very enjoyable dance. Chemunio returned home at 4:45 a.m., tired but happy.

FOOTBALL LINE-UPS

The following team will represent the J.B.A.A. in their senior rugby league match against the Wanderers tomorrow at Oak Bay: Johnson; Webster, McInnes, Heyland and McKenzie; Ellis; Lumsden and Anderson; Brynolfson, Miller, McRae, Montiel and Travis and Johnson; reserves: Norris and McRae.

S. O. E. second division: Rhodes; Langston and Nex; Walton, McInnes, and Lewis; Bryson, Blacklock, Price, Erickson and Shanks; reserves: Holman and Kerr.

England Intermediates at Central Park and the following players are requested to be on hand at 2:15 p.m. sharp on Dec. 3, for the kick-off at 2:30 sharp, on account of the evening drawing in so early: Miller; Constable and Davidson; Hale, Sherwood and Linton; Squires, McCarriren, Cull, Wood and Walker; reserves: Obee, Lewis and Lee.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Football games played today in England resulted as follows:

Northern Union Rugby League Leads 10, Bradford 3.

Hull Kingston 13, Broughton 2.

Under Association Rules

Tottenham Hotspurs 1, Oxford University 0.

Football Association 5, Cambridge University 3.

SENIOR BASKETBALL MEETING IS TONIGHT

The Senior City Basketball League will meet this evening at 8 o'clock sharp at the J.B.A.A. rooms. It is asked that all entries be in, along with the fees of five dollars for seniors and three dollars for intermediates. The use of the old Brill Hall is now assured, and it is hoped to get the league under way next week. The question of amalgamation with the provincial body which is being organized will be discussed. All clubs desiring to enter are requested to send at least one delegate.

WHITE SOX PITCHER UNDERGOES OPERATION

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Urban "Red" Faber, Chicago White Sox pitcher, underwent an operation today which may affect his future as a pitcher. A cartilage was removed from his right knee, injured during the city series.

"FREDDIE" HOCKEY STAR BECOMES GYRO

In the ranks of the Victoria Gyro Club can be found a considerable number of young men well known in local sporting circles. The latest addition to the club's roll is Frank Fredrickson, hockey player extraordinaire. He was voted into the membership at the general monthly meeting of the organization last night under the classification of insurance agent.

MELBOURNE CUP WILL BE UP TO OLD LEVEL

Claimed Australia's Big Turf Event Will Next Year Be the World's Largest Added Money Race

MELBOURNE, Nov. 30.—The V.R.C., Australia's premier racing club, is out to spread sunshine on the trail of the pessimist. It has decided to bring the added money for the Melbourne Cup race back to its 1910 level, and next year's prize will be worth approximately \$55,000.

The decision of the club to raise the stake to the 1910 level, when the mighty Carbine won (whose grandson Spon Kop won the last English Derby) makes the amount to be divided between the placed horses approximately \$45,000.

The Melbourne Cup is run for annually the first Tuesday in November, and attracts spectators from all parts of the world. It is the centre of a week's carnival of racing unique in the world's sport, and is witnessed by over 100,000 people. It was instituted in 1861, and has been run for annually ever since. Horses from England, New Zealand and the various Australian States compete for the big money.

TIA JUANA RACING

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 1.—Following are the results of today's racing at Tia Juana:

First race—Capt. Clover, won; Martha L.; 2; Beautiful Dream, 3; Time 1:04.

Second race—Duty Fashion, won; Elembie, 2; Pawnee, 3; Time, 1:03 4-5.

Third race—Early Morn, won; Goldie Rose, 2; Due de Guise, 3; Time, 1:09 4-5.

Fourth race—Mayflower, won; Peach, 2; Hazel Dale, 3; Time, 1:02 3-5.

Fifth race—Star Realm, won; Ike Harvey, 2; Belgian Queen, 3; Time, 1:40 4-5.

Sixth race—Woodie Montgomery, won; Cavalindore, 2; Jake Schas, 3; Time, 1:47 1-5.

Seventh race—McLane, won; Verd Leon, 2; Bob Baker, 3; Time, 1:15 2-6.

Overnight Entries

First race, five furlongs—Georgina W. (89), Perfect Day, Infield, Victory (104), Dr. Kendall, Little Romper, Clue the Way (111), Big Smoke (114).

Second race, five furlongs—Eye Bright (89), The Clarette (97), Joe Underwood (102), Little Jake (106), Tillotson, Billy Joe (109), Walter Mack, Hanover's Topaz (114).

Third race, five furlongs—Merry Lane, Duly Fashion, Missouri (106).

Fourth race, five furlongs—Uranium (111), Cripple, Alporter, Coffee John, Elsie (114).

Fifth race, one mile and a sixteenth—Lady Innocence, Hal George, Camella Muller, Afternight, Rhymer, Heve (107), Billy Stuart (112).

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BABE RUTH WILL SOON RECEIVE HIS SENTENCE

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Judge Landis, baseball commissioner, will announce his decision in the "Babe" Ruth case within a day or two, it was learned last night. Ruth violated one of the rules of the major league by taking part in a barnstorming trip after the world's series.

Judge Landis yesterday received the questionnaire which he sent Ruth in which the home run hitter's reasons for violating the rules are outlined.

There was no official intimation as to whether Judge Landis would impose the maximum penalty of suspension from baseball or merely fine the star of the New York Americans.

The rule violated by Ruth was not a personal ruling by Judge Landis, but had been made by the major league before the judge became commissioner.

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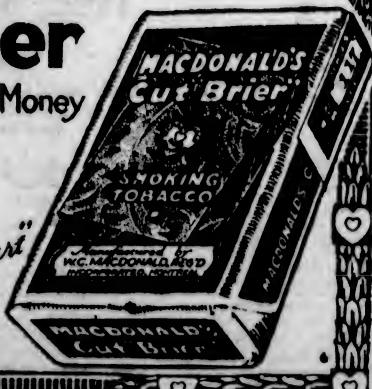
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Sunday School Basketers Enter Forty-Five Teams

Forty-Five Teams To Play Basketball

Big Entry List for All Classes
in Sunday School League—
First Games of Schedule
Set for Tuesday

Entries for the Sunday School basketball league have now closed and no fewer than forty-five teams entered. Next week will see the start of play. Fourteen ladies' teams will play in the ladies' league, which opens at the First Presbyterian gymnasium on Tuesday next. Eighteen intermediate and fourteen senior teams will play at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesday and Saturday, starting on Saturday, December 10, at 8 p.m.

There is no doubt that the Senior "A" men's league will furnish some fine basketball this season, while the Senior "B" will also be much faster than during last season. The ladies' basketball series will also be much stronger than before, and some lively competition is expected.

The opening games in each series have been announced to start next week, when the full schedule for the season will also be published. The British Columbia school championships will be played off with the Vancouver winners at the end of the season. Opening games on the schedule will be as follows:

December 5, ladies' games at First Presbyterian gymnasium—At 8 p.m. Juniors; Fidelity vs. Live Wires; at 8:30, Seniors; Fairfield vs. Pass-a-Pas.

December 10, at Y.M.C.A.—At 8 p.m., intermediate "A" vs. St. Paul's vs. First Presbyterians; at 8:45, Senior "B" vs. Crusaders vs. On-wards; at 9:30, Senior "A" vs. Crusaders vs. Belmonts.

December 14, at 8 p.m.—Intermediate "B"; Reformed Episcopal vs. James Bay "B"; at 8:45, Senior "B" vs. St. Paul's vs. St. George's; at 9:30, Senior "A" vs. First Presbyterians vs. Christ Church.

SEASON FOR KILLING MEN IS NOW CLOSED

Twenty-Three Hunters Lost Lives
While Deer Were Hunted in Maine
and Michigan

DETROIT, Dec. 1.—Ten hunters lost their lives in Michigan during the twenty-day deer season ended yesterday. Over four thousand deer were killed.

AUGUSTA, Dec. 1.—Thirteen deer hunters lost their lives in the woods of Maine during the season that closed last night. About 2,200 deer were taken.

OVERTIME GAME MARKS OPENING OF SEASON

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—The hockey season opened with a bang at the Arena last night with Variety in defence of the Junior cup, playing a four-four tie with Aura Lee. The teams played ten minutes overtime, and then, with sixteen boys so tired they could hardly push one foot ahead of the other, Bill Madden and Conny Smythe decided to "call it a day," and replay the game on a later date. About 3,000 attendants were present.

CANADIAN RUGBY

Intercollegiate Junior Champions
Suggest Date for Final Contest

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—Representatives of Queen's Junior champions of the Intercollegiate Union, have notified Harry McKee, secretary of the Ontario Union, that they are willing to meet the winners of the O.R.U. P.V. series in Kingston, on December 12, in a sudden-death game to decide the rugby junior honors of the Canadian Union.

HOCKEY BULLETINS

HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 1.—Percy Thompson announced that Harry Munro had accepted terms with the Hamilton professional hockey team, and he expects that Arthur will accept the terms offered him.

HALIFAX, Dec. 1.—Nova Scotia hockey league probably will apply for affiliation with the Canadian Hockey Association this winter, following the example of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, it is stated here.



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SPORTING NEWS

PETER KEMP DEAD

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Peter Kemp, of Sydney, N.S.W., formerly the world's champion sculler, is dead at his home at Sydney, according to a Central News dispatch from that city today. Kemp won the sculling championship in 1885, defeating D. Clifford in a race at New South Wales, and held it against two attempts by Edward Hamlin to capture it the same year. He lost it in October of that year, however, to B. Searle, of New South Wales.

BOWLER MAKES RECORD

DES MOINES, Dec. 1.—George E. Falkenbach, of St. Joseph, Mo., has broken the world's record in the singles in the mid-west bowling tournament, when he shot 724, just one pin more than the mark set several days ago by George Becker, of Milwaukee. Becker's mark broke the existing world's record at that time by a margin of six pins.

V. I. A. A. BASKETBALL

Three basketball games are to be played tonight in the V.I.A.A. gymnasium at Victoria West. The ladies will be the first to take the floor. Their game to start at 7:15 o'clock, when the V.I.A.A. ladies will oppose the St. Saviour's ladies' team. There will be a junior game between the V.I.A.A. Juniors and the North Ward School, and St. Saviour's Senior men's team will play against the V.I.A.A. men's 125-pound team.

GOOSE TRAVELS FAR

WINDSOR, Nov. 28.—For the first time since the institution of the method of marking wild geese on the Jack Miner farm at Kingsville, a tag has been received at Labrador. This was received by Manley Miner last week, it having been found on the leg of a goose shot in the far eastern district. Mr. Miner stated that he has never before heard of the Canadian wild geese going so far east as the Labrador coast.

Referee Stops Fight

DENVER, Dec. 1.—Jack Thompson and Harry Williams, negro heavyweights, fought five rounds of a scheduled 12-round boxing match here last night when the referee stopped the fight without rendering a decision. Thompson claimed a foul and fell to the floor unable to continue.

TENNIS CLUB DANCE

The dance held last night by the Kingston Street Lawn Tennis Club at the K. of C. Hall met with outstanding success, and the increasing popularity of the club was well demonstrated in the large number of guests who were present last night.

The orchestra was in attendance and added much to the pleasure of the dancers. The musical programme lasting until 1 o'clock this morning. The hall presented a very pretty appearance with the lights shaded in old rose color. During the evening delicious refreshments were served, and great credit is due to the ladies of the club for the indefatigable manner in which they carried out the arrangements in connection with the dance, which was the most enjoyable event ever held by the club.

FIVE HUNDRED DRIVE

A very pleasant evening was spent last night by the friends and members of the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., who took part in a military five hundred drive at the Connaught Regiment's Institute. Mrs. H. Catterall was convener of the game, while Mrs. W. H. Wilders and Mrs. George Richardson were in charge of the arrangements in connection with the affair.

The prizes, which were presented by Mrs. E. O. Weston, Regent of the Chapter, were won by the following players: Mrs. MacDonald, Mrs. Ormond, Miss Ormond and Miss Bennington. The winners of the consolation prizes were Mr. T. A. Johnson, Mrs. Johnson, Mr. Oliver Pauline and Mrs. Thaw, Mrs. C. B. Neufosse, Mrs. W. H. Logan, Mrs. A. Lineham and Mrs. A. C. Campbell donated the prizes. Among the hosts at various tables were Mrs. Ormond, Mr. Harris, Capt. Moore, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Thaw, Mrs. Thaw, Mrs. Foulkes, Mrs. Whitaker, Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. McAdams, Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. Carter and Messrs. Flworthy, George Richardson and Weston.

FORT GEORGE MEMBER CRITICIZES MINISTER

Claims His Riding Is Not Receiving Proper Financial Attention—Alleges Spite by Hon. Dr. King

"It's not always a Conservative who gets a rotten deal from this Government," Mr. H. G. Perry, Liberal member for Fort George, declared with heat in the Legislature at an early hour Thursday morning, when the votes for roads, streets and wharves were under consideration, and the member complained that the \$75,000 awarded to his district for the coming fiscal year would prove wholly impractical in view of the immense territory to be covered.

He dubbed it as ridiculously small compared with those for other ridings, citing the case of Unice, represented by Mr. Speaker Manson, where \$75,000 was going, and the needs were nothing so important as those of Fort George, which includes the great Peace River section.

Minister is either spiteful or else he is negligent and careless of the needs of the far northern ridings," Mr. Perry declared.

Hon. Dr. King, Minister of Public Works, shoved some heat when he retorted that it was all very well for a member to criticize the votes and suggest they were not large enough, but the members of the Government simply had no right to suggest that he (the Minister) is spiteful. In the years from 1912 to 1921 a total of \$1,675,000 had been spent in the Fort George riding; 202 miles of former roads had been constructed, 40 miles of trunk roads, and many other works to provide for settlers.

"Where was all this spent? I have seen nothing of it," retorted Mr. Perry.

Mr. J. W. Jones also criticized the votes for the various ridings, pointing to the fact that there had been an increase of \$21,000 for the Liberal ridings, a decrease of \$12,650 in Conservative ridings and a decrease of over \$7,000 in the Labor ridings.

The vote was approved.

Cost of P.G.E.

The matter of a \$500,000 vote to cover deficiency of operating costs on the P.G.E. led Mr. Whitehead to ask whether this included the cost of offices in Vancouver.

The Premier replied that this covered the entire cost of the P.G.E. and the deficiency in operating expenses of the Government road.

He had previously stated that there was sufficient money to pay for the road to Fort George but not enough to pay for the deficit of operating, neither would it cover the \$500,000 damage to the road by the recent floods.

Mr. Whitehead asked whether it was the intention of the Government to proceed with the construction of the road from Queen's to Prince George, in view of recent developments. He suggested that, pending receipt of the advice sought by the Government, the road to Prince George, in view of recent developments, should be discontinued.

Premier Oliver replied that advice had been given as to whether the road should be undertaken and whether colonization could be accomplished along the line of the road. He said that the road to Prince George, in view of recent developments, should be discontinued.

These two companies had, so far, refused to make any proposal to take over the road. The Premier thought it best to go ahead with construction work pending the report of this committee. He thought it better to construct the road to Prince George, even in view of popular opinion to the contrary. Unless the House passed the vote, operations on the line must cease.

Two Trains Per Week

Mr. W. K. Ewing rose to question whether the operation of two trains per week did not mean an expenditure to the Province of \$10,000 each way. He thought that such an expenditure was away out of proportion to the value.

Mr. H. G. Perry asked the Premier whether he had made arrangements with the G. T. P. to use the roundhouses and the bridge at Prince George. If not, the Government would have to construct new roundhouses.

To a negative answer from the Premier, Mr. Perry maintained that the Minister of Railways appeared to be getting poor advice from the railway engineer.

"You ought to be informed of all these things," claimed Mr. Perry. "Your engineer should have all this information for you."

Mr. Ewing followed up Mr. Perry's remarks by the statement that it was evident that some very inaccurate and erroneous estimates had been given the Premier on the construction of the road.

"And you are responsible to the people," claimed Mr. Ewing. "You cannot even tell us today what certain work performed three years ago has cost."

The vote passed.

The House spent nearly two hours going through the estimates, there being comparatively few objections, and then from opposition members seeking details. The House adjourned at 1:45 a.m. Thursday.

RED CROSS MEETING TO PLAN YEAR'S WORK

Provincial Division Holding Annual
Gathering Tonight—Members and
Friends Invited to Attend

The annual meeting of the Provincial Division of the Canadian Red Cross Society will be held at the Empress Hotel this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Reports of the past year's activities will be presented, and officers and committees elected to carry on for the next twelve months.

The Provincial Division should not be confused with the Victoria City Branch, which still carries on all local Red Cross activities. The Provincial Division superintends

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and co-ordinates the work of the different local branches, and carries on directly where there are no chartered branches.

The Provincial headquarters are at 616 Pender street, Vancouver, but annual meetings have been held alternately at Vancouver and Victoria. Representatives of the various local Red Cross branches throughout the Province will be present.

All Red Cross members and friends of the society are invited to be present.

MAJOR BURDE TAKES PLATFORM FOR IVEL

Alberni Member Tells Audience
That He Is Supporting Liberals
Because They Favor
Eight-Hour Day Project

About one hundred residents of Ward Four turned out last night at the Liberal rally held in the Moss Street School in the interests of Mr. William Ivel, Major Burde, M.P., addressed the gathering. Mr. C. H. O'Halloran and the candidate also spoke.

Major Burde opened his remarks by stating that he was not an advocate of the Liberal platform, and said that he had a headache when he heard the National Liberal and Conservative party mentioned. As the Liberal policy included a general eight-hour day plank, he declared he was proud to support Mr. Ivel in this contest. The speaker said that it was not his fault that there was not a labor man in the field, for if there had been one he would have had his support.

The speaker claimed that there were about 2,000 Japanese on the West Coast of Vancouver Island and only thirty whites. This situation is appalling, he said. The Major thought that there was no need for a Jap or a Japanese launch on the Coast. There have been many appeals made to Ottawa to cancel their licenses, but still no response. "While I appreciate the assistance given by Japan during the war, I believe it would be a great deal safer to see the West Coast if white men and their families were in control instead," he stated.

Returned Men Dissatisfied

Declaring that now was the time for the "One Big Opportunity," Major Burde appealed to his hearers to remedy what he said were unfortunate conditions by dismissing the Meighen administration from office. He said that the Government was denounced by 95 per cent of the returned men, who were dissatisfied, he claimed, with the treatment they had received.

The speaker stated that the Government promised the ex-service men upon their return from overseas a first-class gratuity of six months' pay. He said that a number of soldiers received this money in monthly payments, although they wished the whole amount down in order that they could use it in re-establishing themselves in Canada.

"Bob Rogers," Mr. Robert Borden and others told us that we were the salvation of the country and would receive just treatment when we returned from the front. "We came back and then the Meighen Government said it couldn't give us this gratuity at all at once. It couldn't give it to us in monthly payments, although they wished the whole amount down in order that they could use it in re-establishing themselves in Canada."

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and co-ordinates the work of the different local branches, and carries on directly where there are no chartered branches.

The Provincial headquarters are at 616 Pender street, Vancouver, but annual meetings have been held alternately at Vancouver and Victoria. Representatives of the various local Red Cross branches throughout the Province will be present.

All Red Cross members and friends of the society are invited to be present.

MAJOR BURDE TAKES PLATFORM FOR IVEL

Alberni Member Tells Audience
That He Is Supporting Liberals
Because They Favor
Eight-Hour Day Project

About one hundred residents of Ward Four turned out last night at the Liberal rally held in the Moss Street School in the interests of Mr. William Ivel, Major Burde, M.P., addressed the gathering. Mr. C. H. O'Halloran and the candidate also spoke.

Major Burde opened his remarks by stating that he was not an advocate of the Liberal platform, and said that he had a headache when he heard the National Liberal and Conservative party mentioned. As the Liberal policy included a general eight-hour day plank, he declared he was proud to support Mr. Ivel in this contest. The speaker said that it was not his fault that there was not a labor man in the field, for if there had been one he would have had his support.

The speaker claimed that there were about 2,000 Japanese on the West Coast of Vancouver Island and only thirty whites. This situation is appalling, he said. The Major thought that there was no need for a Jap or a Japanese launch on the Coast. There have been many appeals made to Ottawa to cancel their licenses, but still no response. "While I appreciate the assistance given by Japan during the war, I believe it would be a great deal safer to see the West Coast if white men and their families were in control instead," he stated.

Returned Men Dissatisfied

Declaring that now was the time for the "One Big Opportunity," Major Burde appealed to his hearers to remedy what he said were unfortunate conditions by dismissing the Meighen administration from office. He said that the Government was denounced by 95 per cent of the returned men, who were dissatisfied, he claimed, with the treatment they had received.

The speaker stated that the Government promised the ex-service men upon their return from overseas a first-class gratuity of six months' pay. He said that a number of soldiers received this money in monthly payments, although they wished the whole amount down in order that they could use it in re-establishing themselves in Canada.

"Bob Rogers," Mr. Robert Borden and others told us that we were the salvation of the country and would receive just treatment when we returned from the front. "We came back and then the Meighen Government said it couldn't give us this gratuity at all at once. It couldn't give it to us in monthly payments, although they wished the whole amount down in order that they could use it in re-establishing themselves in Canada."

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LOUISE BETTERS HER FIRST SPEED

On Progressive Trials Yesterday Reached Maximum of 17.5 Knots—Will Be Turned Over Today

The new steamer Princess Louise ran her progressive trials at Parry Bay yesterday, reaching a maximum of 17.5 knots, and performing throughout in a way which caused thorough satisfaction among the technical representatives of the builders and of the Canadian Pacific Company who were on board.

Casting off at the Outer Wharf at 9 a.m., the Louise proceeded direct to Parry Bay, and was put through a series of runs starting at ten knots and working up to full speed. From the very commencement of the runs to the finish the machinery worked with perfect smoothness, and the vessel at all times was under perfect control from the bridge. A maximum speed of 17.5 knots was obtained, conclusive proof of the fact that the ship will easily maintain at least 16.5 knots.

One very noticeable feature commented upon by the Canadian Pacific officials aboard yesterday included the fact. Another to draw comment was her manoeuvring qualities. In fact, it was the universal opinion that she steers as well as a win on her own. On the conclusion of the trials, Mr. Wallace was congratulated by Capt. Troup on the highly successful results.

As Good as the Best

The Princess Louise is conclusive proof that ships of her type can be built and engine on this coast just as well as at the premier east of the industry. The Clyde. It is hoped that she is an augur for future orders.

The list of Canadian Pacific officials aboard yesterday included: Capt. J. W. Troup, manager of the B. C. Coast Service; Capt. C. D. Neroutsoff, marine superintendent; Capt. H. Mowatt, J. McInnes, superintendent engineer, and John Alexander, assistant superintendent engineer. From Wallace's were Andrew Wallace, head of the company; J. H. Turner, head of the Prince Rupert branch; H. Allan, naval architect and designer of the vessel; W. H. Menzies, assistant naval architect; A. Menzies, chief engineering draftsman; George Browning, engineer in charge of the trial trip; G. W. Starbuck, and W. A. Morris, assisting Mr. Menzies. Captain T. O. Griffin was in the tugboat, and Chief Engineer J. Pettigrew in the tugboat. With the adjustment of a few details today, it is expected that the vessel will be completed to the satisfaction of Wallace's and will be handed over to the company this morning. Most of the Wallace men returned to Vancouver last night. Mr. Wallace remains here for a day or so.

MORE WRECKAGE FROM SEA EAGLE WASHED UP

Doors and Decking Thrown Up on Beach Leave No Hope for the Safety of Missing Tugboat

ASTORIA, Dec. 1.—More wreckage from the tug Sea Eagle was found today on the beach between Columbia Beach and Gearhart. Six life preservers, a hat, a jacket, a locker box with the hinges broken off, two cans, a quantity of redwood decking, five ship doors, several window frames, the vessel's flagstaff, a woven rope fender and other wreckage was found by Ed Wiseman, of Clatsop Plains. This wreckage is believed here to be conclusive proof of the Sea Eagle's destruction. The tug was last heard from while towing the schooner Beola to Marshfield.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—Five Japanese sailors are now said to have lost their lives when the Japanese auxiliary schooner Koun Maru foundered 200 miles off Cape Flattery in a southeast gale Tuesday. The remainder of the crew were picked up by the steamer Toman Maru, outward bound from Tacoma to Japan.

Another ship missing. OSWEGO, N.Y., Dec. 1.—A large amount of boat wreckage washed ashore here last night is thought to indicate the possibility of another disaster on Lake Ontario. Among the wreckage is a rowboat bearing the name "Pennington," and while no ship of that name has been reported missing, port records include a few ships named R. L. Pennington. The wreckage includes the top of a boat's cabin, life preservers, broken boards and timbers.

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LOADS PULP AT PORT ALICE FOR NEW YORK

American Freighter Robin Goodfellow Calls at Whalen Mill—Company Looks for Steamer Every Month

QUATSINO, Dec. 1.—The steamship Robin Goodfellow, 10,900 tons, of the Isthmian Steamship Line, which has just loaded a cargo of pulp at the Port Alice mill for New York via the Panama Canal, is the largest vessel ever to enter these waters. She was brought to her berth by Pilot Jack Barberie, passing from Entrance Island Light to the dock in about three hours, showing that vessels of her size have no trouble in getting about in Quatsino Sound.

While here she loaded 3,200 tons of snow-white pulp for New York. She had already taken on one thousand tons at Vancouver from the Swananoo Bay mill. The Whalen Pulp & Paper Company was the shipper in each case.

The vessel is the last thing in American freighters, launched eighteen months ago. She is a turbine oil-burner, with refrigerated space, machine shop and the like. She steamed at a sea speed of twelve knots. The Whalen Company hopes to load one of the ships of this line every month. Captain F. J. Johnson, commander of the Robin Goodfellow, said that the ship was in port four and one-half days. The final dance was given by the ship, and was an elaborate function, preceded by a banquet and speeches. Captain Johnson, for himself and crew, declared they had enjoyed their Port Alice visit more than that to any other port ever called at by the ship. The ship will be in port again in a few days, on a search of enjoyment he would land at Port Alice in preference to New York, he said.

VICTORIA PEOPLE SAIL ON MINNEDOSA

The Canadian Pacific liner Minnedosa, on her last sailing from Montreal to Liverpool, carried quite a small contingent of Victoria people to Europe, among them the following: Mr. E. J. Brannford, Mrs. P. Butler, Mrs. E. Garrard, Mrs. H. Malton, Mrs. P. Malton, Miss Y. Malton, Mrs. A. H. Ormiston, Mr. C. Pendlebury, Lieut. Commander G. H. J. Stuart, and Mrs. S. W. Stuart. Passengers from Vancouver on the same voyage included: Mr. and Mrs. A. Barker and Miss R. A. Barker, Mrs. P. Barry and family, Mrs. M. Berwick, Mrs. D. E. Green and infant, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hardy, Miss C. Jack, Mrs. M. Loud, Mr. P. Norman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ross and Mr. J. D. Sellers. The Corleau, from Montreal to Antwerp, on her last trip, had the following passengers from Victoria: Mrs. M. Bruce, Mrs. G. H. Lillie, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Milne and three daughters, and Mrs. M. E. Montgomery. Others from British Columbia were Mrs. G. Alexander, Miss M. Alexander, Mrs. M. Hyatt and Mr. K. G. Skuce, of Vancouver; Col. and Mrs. H. K. MacKay, of Vernon; and Mr. J. E. Willmott, of Gray Creek.

MONTEAGLE SAILED FOR ORIENT PORTS

Dense fog hampered the Canadian Pacific liner Montegale in docking here from Vancouver, outbound to the Orient, Wednesday night. Nothing but the mast lights could be seen when the vessel was to further out from the wharf than one hundred yards or so. Thick weather was expected all the way down from the Mainland port, and the Montegale, as a consequence, was eight hours in doing the distance. She cleared from here again at ten o'clock. There was quite a good passenger list aboard, several more travelers joining the ship here. Among "the steers" passengers were two dozen Hindus.

TOLMIE TOWED BACK TO PORT

Brought in by Algerine During Night—Vessel Sighted Helpless Inside Flattery Yesterday—Sailed Saturday

The barkentine Simon P. Tolmie, discovered by the steamship President yesterday morning drifting helplessly in the Straits of Juan de Fuca with steering gear disabled, was picked up by the Pacific Salvage Company's steamer Algerine ten miles west of Steamer Rocks at 6:30 o'clock last night, and taken in tow for Victoria.

It is understood that a broken steering shaft was the cause of the trouble, but when the mishap occurred and what its cause was not known last night. The Tolmie, after loading lumber at Nanaimo for Japan, passed out to sea last Saturday on her maiden voyage, and must have run directly into the succession of the salvage steamer Algerine sweeping the coast for the past week, sinking the Japanese schooner Koun Maru, and taking toll in more than her usual way of shipping. The news of her disabled condition came as a great surprise yesterday, as it was thought that by this time she was well on her way to the Orient.

Refused President's Tow. Information of her crippled condition came from the Admiral Line steamer President, bound from San Francisco to Victoria. The President sighted the Tolmie in distress yesterday morning off Neah Bay, just inside Flattery, lying hove-to in the storm that was brewing. Captain Cousins, of the American vessel, offered to take her in tow, but this offer was refused by Captain Stewart, of the Tolmie, who said that he would wait for a towboat. The President accordingly wirelessly the plight of the sailing vessel ashore and proceeded to this port, reaching here at 1:40 p.m.

The Pacific Salvage Company got the information at 1:15 p.m. At 5:50 p.m. the salvage steamer Algerine cast away from the salvage wharf and steamed out of the harbor.

A wireless message from the Algerine last night at midnight said that the strong westerly wind and heavy rough sea prevailing had made towing the ship impossible. The Algerine stood by for the night with the Algerine standing by, six miles southwest of Steamer Rocks, until the weather should moderate. It is considered probable that the two ships will get in about nine o'clock this morning. The Tolmie will be taken to Esquimalt.

MAKURA EXPECTED AT SATURDAY NOON

The liner Makura, of the Canadian-Australian service, will reach quarantine at noon Saturday, according to a wireless message received by the Canadian Pacific office here. Should the vessel make the station promptly at that time, she should be in the dock here shortly after 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

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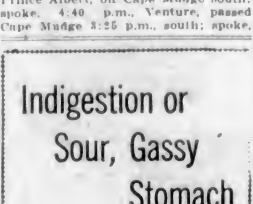
Wireless Report (By Government Wireless)

Dec. 1—A.M. Estevan—Spoke steamer E. D. Kigley, 6:30 p.m., Sidney for San Francisco, five miles from Cape Flattery; spoke steamer E. H. Meyer, 6:30 p.m., Sidney for San Francisco, five miles from Cape Flattery; spoke steamer A. L. Kent, Everett for Baltimore, via San Pedro, 8:30 p.m., 95 miles from San Pedro; spoke steamer Canadian Highlander, 11 p.m., 150 miles from Cape Flattery; inbound; spoke steamer Yokoku Maru, 12:30 a.m., Everett for Sydney, 8 p.m., lat. 47° 35' N., long. 124° 20' W.; spoke steamer Everett, 3:30 a.m., Everett for San Pedro, passed out at Cape Flattery, 3:30 a.m.; spoke steamer Sylvanus, 5 a.m., Nanaimo for Vancouver, due quarantine morning of December 3. Alert Bay—Passed out, Venture, 8 a.m., south. Bull Harbor—Spoke Prince Albert, Queen Charlotte Sound, midnight, north. 6 P.M. Point Grey—Rain, S.W. gale, 29.70, 41; rough. Cape Lazo—Rain, S.E. fresh, 28.62, 34; moderate. Spoke, 1:25 p.m., Prince Albert, off Cape Mudge south; spoke, 4:40 p.m., Venture, passed Cape Mudge 8:25 p.m., south; spoke, 11 p.m., south.

Australia—New Zealand. December 2, 4, 7, 11, 14, 18, 22, 25, via San Francisco. Mails close 9 a.m. December 18, direct. Mails close 9 a.m. Madison Square Garden has a swimming pool capable of accommodating 4,000 persons at one time.

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age pensions for returned soldiers in
their annual meeting here.**What's at the Playhouses?****CANADA'S ORGANS****BEST ON CONTINENT**Joseph Bonnet, Famous French
Organist Who Is Playing at
Metropolitan Tonight, Re-
fers to Instruments"Canada builds the finest organs on
this continent," stated Joseph Bon-
net, the French organist, who arrived
in the city yesterday afternoon to
give a recital this evening at the Me-
tropolitan Methodist Church. M. Bon-
net is making his fifth tour of North
America, although it is his first visit
to Victoria, and his extensive knowl-
edge of the organs of both the United
States and Canada makes the fore-
going comment quite complimentary
to the organ builders north of the in-
ternational boundary. When seen by
The Colonist reporter the famous or-
ganist had already been out to the
Metropolitan Church to try the in-
strument on which he is to play to-
night, and pronounced this a very
fine organ, while the acoustics of the
building also seemed quite satis-
fying, at least in its then empty state."Carpets and rugs, big audiences,
will sometimes very notably affect
the acoustics of a hall," he com-
mented.M. Bonnet spoke of the effect of
the war on music. It was notable
that, whereas France lost many writ-
ers in the fighting ranks between 1914
and 1918, the toll of musicians was
comparatively small. Why was this?
Perhaps because the particular ability
of writers made them much more
likely to hold in their arms the
army which took them into the front
line of the fighting.Last night M. Bonnet went over to
the chapel of St. Ann's Academy and
gave a short private recital on the
two-manual organ there, the audience
being composed of the sisters of St.
Ann and the Academy pupils. The
concert was arranged at the request
of Mr. P. J. Schell, and was greatly ap-
preciated by the sisters, the numbers
played being M. Bonnet's Romance
Sans Paroles and the Romance which
he is including on his programme at
the Metropolitan Church tonight; also
Padre Martini's "Gavotte," Couperin's
"Pavane," Purcell's "Trumpet
Tune" and "Air."From here the well-known organist
is going to Portland, thence to Salt
Lake City and other American cities,
terminating his American tour when
he sails for Europe on April 15.It is interesting to learn that he has
not given concert tours in Europe since
the commencement of the war. Re-
cently he was invited to Austria to
give a recital, being offered 20,000
kronen for a single programme. But
at the present rate of exchange the
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umph of more significant proportions.
You must see "Earthbound."COLUMBIA It is doubtful if any
THEATRE photoplay of the South
Sea Islands has ever
been so rich in atmospheric touches
and so absolutely correct in detail
as is "The Shark Master," the Uni-
versal picture starring Frank Mayo,
now playing the screen at the Col-
umbia. For four months in filming the pic-
ture, Long stretches of California
coast were transformed to represent
tropical beaches. Locations were used
near Balboa, on the rocky shores
near Laguna Beach, on the windward
side of Catalina Island and on the
beaches of the Santa Cruz Islands.
In the making of the picture an old
ocean liner was burned to the water's
edge and sunk in the ocean, a palat-
able yacht was chartered for four
weeks, while several weeks were spent
on a schooner miles from shore to
await a gale of sufficient velocity to
secure a desired scene.VARIETY The manners and cus-
toms of the French
Canadian and Indian
mixed breeds in the fur districts of
Canada, and the life of the miners
during the gold rush in the Yukon,
are faithfully portrayed in "Paid in
Advance," the new Universal Jewel
production, showing today at the
Variety Theatre. Dorothy Phillips,
star of "The Heart of Humanity," is
the leading woman.CAPITOL Bringing not only the
THEATRE desert but the very
dwellings and people of
the desert to the screen is the feat
accomplished by the production staff
in the filming of George Melford's
latest Paramount production, "The
Sheik," which will be shown at the
Capitol Theatre all week, with Agnes
Ayres and Rudolph Valentino. The
feet consisted of building a complete
desert village at the Paramount
studio in Hollywood. Picturesquely
Arabian and technically perfect, it re-
presents one of the most notable
achievements in present day picture-
making. The two soloists at the Cap-
itol this week consist of Miss Mildred
Levitt, dramatic soprano, and Mr.
Handley Wells, the popular bass
baritone. Their various numbers are
artistically rendered and are sure to
please.**HORLICK'S**

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on a type high only one quarter of
an inch square.**TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS**The Stage
Princess — "A Bachelor's Ro-
mance."The Screen
Capitol — "The Sheik."
Dominion — Douglas MacLean in
"Paid in Advance."Columbia — "The Shark Master."
Variety — "Paid in Advance."
Royal — "Earthbound."DOMINION "Paid in Advance," a
THEATRE delightful new Para-
mount-lion comedy star-
ring Douglas MacLean, which was
shown at the Dominion Theatre last
night tells the story of a young man
who continually assumes the re-
sponsibility of others and finds him-
self in serious trouble as a result. The
comedy scored heavily. Billy Barton,
a young bank clerk portrayed by
Douglas MacLean, to shield a friend,
takes the blame for a bank theft of
which he is innocent, and is sen-
tenced to prison. He escapes on his
way to the penitentiary and settles
down as the hired work of an enter-
prising farmer. Falling in love with
Mary Stevens, he attempts to settle a
long-standing quarrel between Har-
rington and Mary's father, a wealthy
banker, and gets into more difficul-
ties. He is eventually vindicated,
however, in a climax of total unex-
pectedness.PRINCESS A very smooth and fin-
ished performance is
being given at the Prin-
cess Theatre of that most admirable
play, "A Bachelor's Romance," the
company seems particularly adapted
to the play of drama, and each mem-
ber gives a delightful rendition of
the role assigned. The costumes
shows careful thought, and is cor-
rect in detail, while the scenery, by
Mr. Fritz, is all that could be desired.
The lighting effects were very effec-
tive, and gave the play the necessary
atmosphere. "A Bachelor's Romance"
is one of those rare works of art that
is only produced at long intervals,
among the better class of stage suc-
cesses it stands pre-eminent; its fun
is clean, spontaneous and innocent,
the heart-interest touching to a de-
gree, the continuity of the story quite
natural, reaching a breathless climax
at the end of each of the splendid
four acts.**AUDIENCE CROWDS****EMPEROR CONCERT**Second of Ladies' Musical Club
Programmes Wednesday
Evening Introduces Victoria
Orchestra to PublicThe Ladies' Musical Club has had
no occasion yet this season, either at
its monthly Saturday afternoon
concerts or at its regular evening
concerts, to complain of lack
of public interest. The Emperor hall
room was again filled to overflowing
Wednesday evening for their second
programme of the year, and every
item was given an appreciative re-
ception.A great part of the interest on this
occasion centred in the Victoria Or-
chestra Society, which, under the
baton of Jose Rodriguez, gave for its
debut offering the Beethoven sym-
phony No. 1 in C major, a performance
which, although without its rough
spots, still justified the high expec-
tations of future recitals in which this
organization of instrumentalists will
appear. A note on the programme
indicated that Beethoven's composition
was "the first symphonic expression
of the mightiest exponent of the
form," and the germ of the
romantic movement in music is
there. It is, in other words, much
lighter in character than the later
Beethoven symphonies, but neverthe-
less it has quite enough of the ele-
ments of big composition to make it
an ambitious work for a young or-
chestra, and the fact that they pre-
sented it so well entitled conductor
and instrumentalists alike to warm
praise. The strings are particularly
fine, representing an aggregate of
musicians who, it may be hoped, will
be heard in some composition for
strings alone.The remainder of the programme
was interesting and popular. Mr.
Drury Price, a violinist who excels in
pairs of tone and nicely of technique,
opened the concert with the Kreutzer
arrangement of the Bach Gavotte and
Fräulein, both played with real
musicianship, and a second appear-
ance of the same player gave the
audience the enjoyment of the Pre-
lude from Wagner's "Die Meistersin-
ger." Mrs. Wilson Jones revealed
herself supreme as an interpretative
artist in the florid Weber "Der
Freischütz" and "Litanie" (Schubert)
a lesson in fine diction, while her
encore songs were very popular. The
classical school was again displayed
in the Bach Concerto for two violins,
the players being Miss Mary Izard and
Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green, with
Mr. E. H. Russell at the piano. The
slow movement particularly revealed
great sympathy of understanding be-
tween the violinists, the tone being
smooth and beautiful. Mrs. Jones
Longfield, the possessor of a rich
voice, sang a Schubert group which
included the lovely "Wanderer," a se-
lection sung nowhere and more seldom
by a woman. It was a charming
addition to the programme, her other
numbers also being popular.The accompaniments were very
sympathetically played by Mrs. A. J.
Gibson, and the programme was con-
vened by Mrs. S. Macleure.Charges Against Windsor Man
WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 1.—Charged
with conspiracy and organizing an
armed gang to attack and rob the
provincial liquor houses, Basil Bar-
stow, 34, was arraigned before Judge
Mr. Spracklin, when the Sandwich
pastor was on trial for manslaughter
of Beverly Trant, a 19-year-old police
headquarters, bail being denied yes-
terday.The Lord's Prayer has been carved
on a type high only one quarter of
an inch square.**TELLS CONDITIONS****IN SOVIET RUSSIA**Mr. J. Knight Lauds Present
Administration — Says No
Other Government More Per-
manent—Plea for ReliefConditions in Soviet Russia were
described by Mr. J. Knight, repre-
sentative of the Soviet Red Cross, in
an address to a mass meeting held
last night at the Broad Street
Wesleyan evening. The hall, which
holds over five hundred people, was
well filled, and the speaker's declara-
tion in favor of the existing system
in Russia brought enthusiastic ap-
plause.The famine horrors were told by
Mr. Knight, and at the conclusion of
his address a collection was taken up
as a contribution to the famine fund.
The speaker, who spent five months
in Russia, claimed that existing con-
ditions were not due to the Soviet
regime, but to the famine which over-
took the country in 1918, and that
which the administration had no con-
trol. No administration was more
stable or more permanently estab-
lished than in Russia.The Russian system of education
was described by the speaker, who
declared it to be the finest in the
world. Six thousand schools had been
established from 1919 to 1921, he said.
The Russian people had been hungry
for years, but had been willing to cut
down on their own rations to feed the
children, the army and the artists
might be able to secure sufficient
food. The people took satisfaction
from the knowledge that there was no
one gaining at their expense and that
while they suffered together, they pre-
sented the world with a quality of
the abundance of the future.**FRENCH ARMY PLAN**

PROVIDES 649,000 MEN

PARIS, Dec. 1.—The strength of
France's army was given as 618,000
as of October 1, by the report of the
army commission to the Chamber of
Deputies, made public today. The re-
port was made public in connection
with the Government's proposed law,
calling the class of 1922 to the colors
in two contingents, one next May and
the other next November.The report said a considerable
part of the class of 1919 had re-
turned to their homes on crop fail-
ures and on industrial leave, making
the active forces in uniform 600,000
or upwards, with the balance sub-
ject to immediate recall.The commission estimates that the
Government plan, which is recom-
mended for adoption, would, through
the release of various contingents of
the class of 1920 and the incorpora-
tion of the class of 1922, give the
army a strength of 649,000 men
in the Spring.**U.S. STEEL COMPANIES**

ARRANGING MERGER

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Reports that
a merger of seven or more of the in-
dependent steel companies is in the
making, and that the merger will be
completed in the financial
district today.The capitalization of the various
companies concerned in the proposed
consolidation approximates \$100,000,000.
The plan is to combine the assets of
the various companies over almost every
branch of the steel and iron industry.The companies named comprise the
Midvale, Steel & Ordnance Company,
the Republic Steel Corporation, the
Perry, Lackawanna Steel Company,
Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company,
Inland Steel Company, Brier Hill
Steel Company, and the Steel & Tube
Company of America.This consolidation, if effected, will
be second in importance to the Uni-
ted States Steel Corporation, now the
dominant organization in the in-
dustry.**GERMAN MARK MAKES**

ADVANCE IN LONDON

LONDON, Dec. 1.—German marks
underwent further marked recovery
on the foreign exchange market this
morning, the pound sterling sent the
mark to 750 to the pound sterling, against
yesterday's close of 980.The recovery was assisted by op-
timistic reports regarding negotia-
tions now proceeding between Dr. Rath-
enau, former German minister of re-
construction, and the financial heads
of the British Government in regard
to Germany's forthcoming repara-
tions payment and the possibility of
a moratorium.**WAS STARVING TO**

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sixty-four pounds and feel as fine as
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mighty bad fix," said J. B. Nelson,
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nue North, Seattle, Wash."Three years ago," said Mr. Nel-
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suffering from indigestion, and I'm
satisfied that in a little while she
will be all right."Tanlac is sold in Victoria by the
Owl Drug Co., and by leading drug-
gists everywhere. (Adv.)**TARIFF CHIEF****ELECTION ISSUE**Dr. S. F. Tolmie Speaks to
Saanich Electors, Pointing
Out Evils That Would Fol-
low Reductions in DutiesSpeaking at the Agricultural Hall,
Saanichton, on Wednesday evening,
Dr. Tolmie said that the country is
faced today with a peculiar situation,
brought about by a third party in the
field, which threatened to become a
strong claimant for the endorsement
of the people. If the Liberals and
the National Progressives were so
closely akin that there is really no
difference.Despite all that the leaders of the
Opposition say with regard to the tariff,
it was the one vital issue before the
electors at this time, and the in-
tention of the Opposition leaders in
both parties was to make substantial
reductions in the tariff. Following
the defeat of the Government candi-
date in the Medicine Hat election, Mr.
Meighen had decided that the time
had arrived for an appeal to the
country, in order to find out whether
or not the people wanted to adopt a
policy of free trade or a protective
tariff.**A Great Country**"We have a tremendous country
with vast and varied resources," Dr.
Tolmie declared, "but with only a
comparatively small population, and
therefore wonderful possibilities of
development. Seven billions of dol-
lars have been invested in the agri-
cultural industries of the country, and
fifty-three million acres are under
cultivation, and yet only twenty-five
per cent of the available acreage of
Canada is under the plough. The an-
nual output of minerals in Canada is
\$22,000,000, and agricultural prod-
ucts are valued at \$43,000,000,000.
The products of the forests are worth
\$12,000,000; the fisheries are valued
at \$2,000,000; and the manufactures
of the country at about \$3,000,000,000.
With conditions in a country
such as this, it is foolish to think of
free trade."If we are to make of Canada a
country in which there will be found
an ideal home for the workman,
with factories for his employment, as
well as agricultural industries to keep
him busy and contented, the Govern-
ment of the country must be repre-
sentative of all classes. No class gov-
ernment, whether it is of the workers
or the wealthier classes will give the
kind of government we need."Continuing his reference to the
tariff question, Dr. Tolmie said that
the tariff had brought into the treas-
ury of the country during the last
year \$10,000,000, and if the tariff is
to be substantially reduced, as the
Opposition parties say they will re-
duce it, where is the money to make
up for this sum coming from? It
will have to be found somewhere, and
any responsible man can see that
it will have to be made up by increased
taxation. The whole world is asking
for increased tariffs, while these lib-
eral and National Progressives lead-
ers are demanding substantial reductions
in the tariff. Great Britain had placed
a tariff of 35 per cent on many of
her imports; the United States had
placed a tariff of 30 per cent on im-
ports.**U. S. Wants Tariff**Not long ago Dr. Tolmie said that
he had been down in El Paso, Texas,
to attend a big convention of stock-
men, and he had found these men, as
well as the farmers all over the
country south of us demanding a
higher tariff to protect them from
competition. But here in Canada, the
only country where it is so, the farm-
ers are asking for substantial reduc-
tions in the tariff on the prairies. In
the United States there are 110 mil-
lions of people to sell their goods to,
while we have in Canada about nine
million. If a wealthy country like
that, with such a large market for
its products, feel it necessary to have
a protective tariff, it stands in reason
that Canada needs to protect its in-
dustries also.Since the protective policy of the
Government has been adopted, over
six hundred branch industries of
American establishments have come
into Canada, and it is safe to say that
could free trade be adopted by this
country, these would be closed, as there
would be no advantage in having them
here when the same products can be
produced cheaper across the line and
shipped here free of duty. And if
these factories are closed down, the
workpeople they employ will be idle.The lowering of the tariff would
seriously affect the exchange by in-
creasing the purchases of Canada in
the United States.The effect of free trade on indus-
try in this country is best illustrated
by the effect it had on the binder
twine and barbed wire industries.
Both of these articles of manufacture
were produced in this country, and
there were several factories in Can-
ada making them, and it was not long
before the binder twine factories
were reduced from twenty-eight to
three, and the barbed wire industry
has become almost a monopoly of
the United States.**Striking Example**During the time that apples were
on the free list, Dr. Tolmie said, the
growers of fruit in Washington State
flooded the prairies, which are Brit-
ish Columbia's best market, with their
culls, at a figure that killed competi-
tion by the Okanagan growers.
They were selling these at 30 cents
and 40 cents a box. But the Govern-
ment promptly came to the rescue
with a duty which made it possible
for the British Columbia growers to
compete for this market, and since
then the Okanagan Valley had
shipped this season 80,000 carloads
of fruit, worth six million dollars.The same thing applied to small
fruits, hogs, wheat and other prod-
ucts, declared Dr. Tolmie.Referring to the railway policy of
the Government, he said that it was
far better to have a competitive sys-
tem of railways in the country than
it would have been to have handed
the railways over to one combine. The
day will come, he said, possibly
sooner than it is thought, when the
Government railways will be a very
valuable asset to the country. We
must have transportation to develop
the country, and that transportation
will be cheaper under a competitive
system than under a combine.**Had your iron**

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MAINLAND MOTORISTS OPPOSE LICENCE TAX

Vancouver and New Westminster Support Local Automobile Club in Protesting Against Increased Taxation

Motorists in the Province are generally aroused over the Provincial Government's proposal to raise the licence fee on motor cars. Some ten days ago a very strong and representative delegation, which was organized by the Victoria Automobile Club, waited upon the Executive Council and entered a strong protest against the imposition of this additional tax. This was followed by a memorandum submitted to the members of the Legislature, in which the views of the motorist were set forth. Secretary R. H. Webb, of the Victoria Club, received the following wire from the automobile and truck owners of Vancouver and New Westminster, who, with Victoria, contribute seventy-five per cent of the auto revenue of the Province of British Columbia:

Whereas, at a meeting of the automobile and truck owners of the cities of Vancouver and New Westminster, who, with Victoria, contribute seventy-five per cent of the auto revenue of the Province of British Columbia; and whereas the very substantial increase in auto fees for 1921 was needed to on the understanding that same was to be capitalized in order to provide a capital fund for permanent road improvement; and whereas this increased revenue has not yet been consumed in the manner specified; and whereas it is not just that auto owners should be singled out and burdened with an extra tax to provide additional revenue; be it therefore resolved that this

meeting go on record as strongly opposing any further increase in motor licence fee.—Vancouver Automobile Club.

It is pointed out by local motor officials that the automobile men are being taxed the greatest in the Dominion of Canada at present, and the tax is now as much as he can pay. They consider that the automobile is no longer a luxury, but a necessity in almost every case, and the owner should not be singled out to provide new sources of revenue whenever additional new revenue is required. It does not matter whether the money goes to the municipality or is retained by the Government, for the fact remains that the car owner is called upon to pay a larger share than ever.

OFFICIALS DISPOSE OF KITCHENER STORY

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The War Office has applied a heavy hand to the rumors that Lord Kitchener, who was lost in the North Sea when H.M.S. Hampshire was sunk, was betrayed by a female German spy, which is the subject of the film held up by the London board of censors.

The War Office admits that a German woman, Elsie Bockler, is boasting in Berlin that she got 10,000 marks from Germany for the alleged achievement, but points out that she was sentenced in London to two months' imprisonment one month before the Hampshire sailed, and long before the arrangements for the journey were made.

Indeed, says the War Office, she was never again at liberty in this country.

Australia to Give Food

LONDON, Dec. 1.—A cable from the Reuters correspondent at Melbourne says that Premier Hughes has announced to the Australian House of Representatives that the Government has decided to contribute £250,000 worth of meat and wheat to relieve the starving people of Central Europe.

SAYS VICTORY BONDS WERE A BIG SCANDAL

Mr. William Ivel, Liberal Candidate, Addresses Small Gathering of Ward Three Electors—Other Speakers.

"One of the biggest scandals in Canada took place when the Meighen Government issued non-taxable Victory Bonds to pay for a war debt when the bonds were going into the pockets of those who profited at the expense of the common people, who were sacrificing their lives in Europe." Mr. William Ivel stated Wednesday night when addressing a meeting of electors of Ward Three in the Oaklands School. Mr. Henry Norman presided. Other speakers were Mr. J. B. Clearhue, M.P.P., and Mr. C. H. O'Halloran.

"Our policy of protection is solely a protection for revenue and the protection of the common people, and against the big interests who have been exploiting the inhabitants of this Dominion," the candidate declared.

Mr. Ivel said that his opponents were stooping very low when they charged the Liberals with being disloyal or unpatriotic. The speaker especially referring to remarks made at a Unionist meeting on Tuesday night by Mr. Winkel. "It is regrettable to think that the Government supporters would characterize their opponents as such because they happen to be Liberals," he said.

Mr. Roger Berry, who was in the audience, stood up and said that the gentleman who had made the remarks in the city about disloyalty would be challenged by him in the near future.

Three Important Matters

Continuing after the interruption, Mr. Ivel said that three important matters were of local interest, the drydock, the C.N.R. terminals and the Outer Wharves. He claimed that the Laurier Naval Policy included the construction of a drydock at Esquimalt, and the establishment of the nucleus of a navy there. He said the reason for the Liberals opposing the present site of the project was because the Government had purchased a portion of land, had paid for it and then turned around and bought another site, which they are at present utilizing for that purpose.

Mr. Ivel asserted that the Liberals wanted ultimate free trade with Great Britain and were in favor of making the preferential tariff 10 per cent. He thought that trade should be developed within the Empire. He read the Liberal policy on the tariff and labor questions, pointing out to an inquirer in the audience that he stood for a minimum wage for men as well as women. He closed with an appeal for support on December 6.

Says Too Much Red Tape

Mr. J. B. Clearhue, M.P.P., spoke on the Government's policy of returning soldiers, which, he claimed, had proved totally inadequate to meet the needs. He asserted that the trouble with the S.C.R. and the Soldier Settlement Board was that there were too many officials and too much red tape with their regulations. "Instead of there being too much money spent for the returned men, there is far too much spent on the board's employees, who administer the money," said Mr. Clearhue.

"Dr. Toimie is a man of high repute, but you will have to go a long way to find a better man than our candidate, William Ivel. His qualifications, integrity and character are equal to those of his opponent, and I ask the electors to give him a chance to show his ability at Ottawa," Mr. Clearhue went on, stating that a vote for him would be in the interests of the whole of Canada.

Mr. H. C. O'Halloran referred to the twenty seats in which by-elections have been held since the Government has been in power. Fifteen of these constituencies were formerly held by the Government, but today they can only boast of seven out of the twenty ridings. "That is a sign that the Meighen crew is doomed to defeat, which will take place on Tuesday next," he said.

INSTITUTE HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

Strawberry Vale Organization Completes Arrangements for Bazaar to Be Held Next Wednesday

The Strawberry Vale Women's Institute held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon with a splendid attendance despite the bad weather.

Routine business being put through very quickly, final arrangements were made for the forthcoming bazaar to be held on Wednesday, December 7, in Marigold Hall, at 2:30 p.m. A number of useful and fancy articles will be on sale, and the public is invited to come and inspect our stalls before purchasing Christmas gifts elsewhere.

A practical demonstration of first aid was very ably given by Miss Carter, head of the branch, V.O.N. Further lessons in bandaging, poultice making, etc., are to be continued in the new year, the members being greatly interested in this work.

The next meeting of this Institute is arranged for Thursday, December 23, at which will take place the annual election of officers.

ELK INCREASING AROUND QUATSINO

QUATSINO, Dec. 1.—Hands of elk have been seen lately here at the end of the Southeast arm. The Whalen Company logged off about four hundred acres last year at this point, their favorite winter quarters, and it has given the animals a better opportunity to exist. With a little care the herd might be increased to a good size. At the present time it

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numbers about twenty head, one a very fine bull, Game Warden Walsh is taking interest in the herd and should the winter be a hard one, he will endeavor to furnish them with hay to save a number of the young, which otherwise are usually lost in hard weather.

GENEROUS SUPPLY OF LINEN FOR HOSPITAL

Jubilee Women's Auxiliary Delighted With Gifts Made by Friends—Musical Programme and Tea

Bad weather Wednesday did not make any difference to the friends of the Jubilee Hospital who wanted to make their donation to the annual linen shower of the Women's Auxiliary, and the big storeroom shelves were well lined with piles of new towels, pillowcases, flannelette sheets, etc., after the day's gifts were put away.

The actual receipts in the way of supplies were as follows: Eight and a half dozen huck towels, five dozen and seven pillowcases, twenty-one and a half dozen pillowcases, one and a half dozen serviettes, two tray cloths, five dozen and two pairs of flannelette sheets, one pair pajamas, etc.

In addition to the foregoing a sum of \$66.55 in cash was received. Guests who brought their gifts in person were entertained with delicious tea and an excellent programme, the former being under the convener'ship of Mrs. E. H. Griffiths, the latter being arranged by Mrs. Umbach. The nurses' lecture-room was used for the main table being pretty with its yellow and mauve chrysanthemums in a cut-glass vase, while Oregon grape and a pair of palms stood at the corners of the table. Assisting in the serving were Mrs. A. M. McKeown, Mrs. L. K. Poyntz, Mrs. Gordon Kenning, Mrs. T. Patterson, Mrs. B. H. Green, Mrs. V. Giffon, and presiding at the urns were Mrs. H. B. Rogers and Mrs. R. L. Miller.

The musical programme took place in the nurses' recreation room, those taking part being Mrs. Grashley Hick, Mrs. Harry Laszby (who sang "Dear Heart" by special request as an encore), Miss Winifred Bell, Miss Doris Ashdown and Miss Hick. The accompanists were Miss Barfoot, Mrs. Conyers, and Mrs. Patterson. The general arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Chas. Rhodes, president of the auxiliary, with Mrs. Senbrook Young in charge of the linen donations.

HELD SUCCESSFUL SALE

Court Maple Leaf Convoked Bazaar and "Hard Times" Dance

Both Wednesday afternoon and evening the ladies of Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F., were busily engaged conducting their annual sale of work, which was followed by a "Hard Times" dance and a "108" drive, at the Foresters' Hall.

Mrs. Margaret Jenkins declared the sale open at 2:30 o'clock, and was presented by Miss Verna Holt with a bouquet of chrysanthemums and carnations, tied with the Order's colors, of scarlet, gold and green. Mrs. Denyer proved a very capable con-

BAZAAR AT NURSES' HOME ON SATURDAY

Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., Arranges for Sale of Work at Jubilee Hospital

Tomorrow afternoon a bazaar will be held at the Nurses' Home of the Jubilee Hospital, under the auspices of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., for the benefit of the Milk Fund. Mrs. Henry Croft will open the affair at 3 o'clock. For some time past the members of the Chapter have been working most energetically for the sale, and the many dainty and useful articles exhibited show the results of their labor.

A very delightful musical programme will be included in the afternoon's event, including solos from Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, Miss Winifred Bell, Miss Richards and an instrumental solo from Mrs. Conyers. Tea will be served, and Mrs. Wright and Miss A. B. Cooke will read the

fortunes of their visitors in the tea leaves.

Of special interest to the little people will be the visit of Santa Claus, and a mysterious cave, which will be in the hands of the Brownies and their leaders, the Brown Owl, and all the kiddies who are present will be assured of an enjoyable time.

Dominion Notes
OTTAWA, Nov. 30.—Dominion note circulation totalled \$253,718,052 on November 23, according to a statement issued by the Finance Department today. It was backed by gold to the amount of \$80,714,218, and by deposits of approved securities to the extent of another \$155,687,741.

Distribution of Savings
NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Accumulations of various Christmas savings funds amounting to \$110,000,000 will be distributed next week among 5,000,000 individuals by approximately 4,000 banks throughout the country, it was estimated here today.

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Wonder Sale of Shoes!

I am instructed to convert into Cash at once \$20,000 worth of Shoes from this great stock—not shoes that I select, but shoes that you select, for the entire stock goes on sale without a single exception at the most drastic price reductions on record. In many instances the price asked does not represent half the cost. Simply too many shoes here, and they must go! Truly every price a wonder price! The greatest savings offered in years, coming right at a time when everybody needs shoes. You all know the kind of shoes sold here, none but the best, and you know every reduction in price is a bona fide reduction, so do not hesitate to buy all the shoes you'll need for months to come. But note this: All sales are for Cash. No charges; don't ask. No exchanges after 11 a.m.

Women's \$8 to \$14
Oxfords, \$4.80



\$4.80



Women's \$8.00, \$9.00
and \$10.00 Boots, \$4.80



Women's \$12.00 to \$14
Boots, \$4.80



SALE Starts SATURDAY
9:30 A.M.

Boys' \$7 to \$8 Shoes - **\$4.40**
Misses' \$6 Shoes - **\$4.40**

Infants' Sandals and Ankle Straps - **50c**

Children's \$3.00 to \$5.00 Shoes - **\$1.45**

Children's Sandals and Strap Slippers - **95c**

Whittemore's Combination Polish, Reg. 35c - **15c**

Men's \$10.00 Shoes



Men's \$14.00 Shoes



Men's \$12.00
Shoes



Men's \$15.00
Shoes



ALL SIZES IN SOME OF THESE LINES

A WONDERFUL GROUP. MANY ARE FULL LINES

Women's \$8 to \$15
Boots, Oxfords and
Pumps. Broken sizes.

\$1.80

Women's \$10 to \$18
Boots, Oxfords and
Pumps. Some are full
lines.

\$5.40

Women's \$9 to \$15
Boots, Oxfords and
Pumps. Broken lines.

\$3.80

Women's \$10 to \$12
Boots, Oxfords and
Pumps. Regular lines.

\$6.80

Boots, Oxfords,
Pumps, Ties



Many are Laird's
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\$7.40



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in this group



\$12.00 to \$18.00
Values

Men's \$10 to \$12
Shoes, tan or black

\$6.80

Men's \$12 to \$18
Brogue Oxfords.

\$7.80

Men's \$10 to \$15
Shoes, tan or black

\$7.40

Men's \$15 to \$18
Florsheim Shoes.

\$12.40

Women's \$12 to \$14 Boots
Oxfords and Pumps
Regular sizes.

\$8.40

Laird's \$22.00 Boots
and Pumps

\$10.80

**All Children's
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Men's \$12 to \$14 Shoes
and Oxfords

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News of Vancouver Island

PRIZE WINNERS AT
DUNCAN POULTRY SHOW

Professor Lloyd Acts as Judge
and Delivers Lecture on
Quality of the Birds on
Exhibition

DUNCAN, Nov. 30.—Prof. H. A. Lloyd, of the University of British Columbia, who judged the utility classes, dressed poultry and eggs at the fourth annual poultry show, which is now in progress here, delivered a most interesting lecture yesterday afternoon on the display of poultry and the reasons for the awards given. The speaker held that all the classes were of very high standard, the class for White Leghorn pens being the outstanding class in utility and the leading breeders of Vancouver Island were showing their very best stock, which made competition very close, any one bird or good hen just ready for an ordinary show. The decision was made very largely on the condition of the birds at the time of handling. Much interest in utility and selection was shown by breeders in the way the pens were made up.

The next class was the White Wyandotte cockerels, being made up of very big, vigorous and type specimens, there being very little to choose between the competitors. Pedigrees would have been needed to make a really just decision possible. The White Wyandotte pullets and pens were also of a high order of excellence. The White Leghorn pullets were good, particularly the winner, but they lack uniformity as a whole. Practice and selection are necessary on the part of some of the exhibitors, and the same may be said of the White Leghorn cockerels also.

The White Leghorn hens were a good class, revealing many long distance layers and other good hens just ready for the breeding pens. Some coarseness was seen in some of the White Leghorn females and in a few of the males. Extremes should be avoided in weight, size of bone, and size of head.

The barred flocks were few in number but high in quality, and the same may be said of the Rhode Island Reds and Anconas.

In general, birds which were low in condition, heavy, had colds, or that gave any sign of poor health, for example, poor circulation or heavy breathing, were severely cut in the score. Other things being equal, the healthy, vigorous bird of medium size and the strongest breed characteristic were favored.

To add to the troubles of the judge, some of the breeders of the Cowichan district seemed to inoculate their birds with a peculiar kind of dust which rendered the use of soap and water necessary before the birds appear in their true colors.

Appended are the prizes awarded in the different classes of the poultry show:

Utility Classes
Plymouth Rock—Cockerel, 1st, Mrs. J. C. Lewis, Young pen, 1st, C. G. Golding.
Wyandottes—Cock, 1st, H. C. Walker, Cockerel, 1st, B. C. Walker; 2nd, J. J. Douglas, Young pen, 1st, Redde & King; 2nd, B. C. Walker.
Rhode Island Red—Hen, 1st, D. Edwards, Old pen, 1st, D. Edwards.
White Leghorn—Cock, 1st, D. Edwards; 2nd, R. W. Tull, Cockerel, 1st, Mrs. J. B. Green; 2nd, L. C. Knicker, 2nd, J. J. Douglas, Hen, 1st, A. Easton; 2nd, R. W. Tull; 3rd, Norie Brock; 4th, J. J. Douglas, Pullet, 1st, J. J. Douglas; 2nd, B. C. Walker, Old hen, 1st, F. E. Parker; 2nd, J. J. Douglas, Young pen, 1st, R. W. Tull; 2nd, F. E. Parker; 3rd, R. A. Jackson.
Minoras—Hen, 1st, Mrs. R. Whittington.
R.C. Ancona—Hen, 1st, J. Harris, Pullet, 1st, J. Harris, Old pen, 1st, J. Harris.
Exhibition Classes
Barred Plymouth Rock—Cockerel, 1st, R. S. A. Jackson; 2nd, V. K. Dawson.
Wyandottes, Silver Laced—Old pen, 1st, J. H. Fry.
Wyandottes, White—Cockerel, 1st, J. Moon, Pullet, 1st, R. Elliott; 2nd, R. Elliott.
Rhode Island Red—Cock, 1st, A. Nightingale, Hen, 1st, Miss M. Alexander.
Black Leghorn—Cock, 1st, J. Harris, Cockerel, 1st, J. Harris, Hen, 1st, J. Harris, Pullet, 1st, J. Harris, Young pen, 1st, J. Harris.
Old pen, 1st, J. Harris.
Black Minoras—Hen, 1st, Mrs. R. Whittington, Pen, 1st, Mrs. R. Whittington.
Anconas—Cock, 1st, J. Harris; 2nd, J. Harris; 3rd, J. Harris; 4th, J. Harris; 5th, J. Harris; 6th, J. Harris; 7th, J. Harris; 8th, J. Harris; 9th, J. Harris; 10th, J. Harris; 11th, J. Harris; 12th, J. Harris; 13th, J. Harris; 14th, J. Harris; 15th, J. Harris; 16th, J. Harris; 17th, J. Harris; 18th, J. Harris; 19th, J. Harris; 20th, J. Harris; 21st, J. Harris; 22nd, J. Harris; 23rd, J. Harris; 24th, J. Harris; 25th, J. Harris; 26th, J. Harris; 27th, J. Harris; 28th, J. Harris; 29th, J. Harris; 30th, J. Harris; 31st, J. Harris; 32nd, J. Harris; 33rd, J. Harris; 34th, J. Harris; 35th, J. Harris; 36th, J. Harris; 37th, J. Harris; 38th, J. Harris; 39th, J. Harris; 40th, J. Harris; 41st, J. Harris; 42nd, J. Harris; 43rd, J. Harris; 44th, J. Harris; 45th, J. Harris; 46th, J. Harris; 47th, J. Harris; 48th, J. Harris; 49th, J. Harris; 50th, J. Harris; 51st, J. Harris; 52nd, J. Harris; 53rd, J. Harris; 54th, J. Harris; 55th, J. Harris; 56th, J. Harris; 57th, J. Harris; 58th, J. Harris; 59th, J. Harris; 60th, J. Harris; 61st, J. Harris; 62nd, J. Harris; 63rd, J. Harris; 64th, J. Harris; 65th, J. Harris; 66th, J. Harris; 67th, J. Harris; 68th, J. Harris; 69th, J. Harris; 70th, J. Harris; 71st, J. Harris; 72nd, J. Harris; 73rd, J. Harris; 74th, J. Harris; 75th, J. Harris; 76th, J. Harris; 77th, J. Harris; 78th, J. Harris; 79th, J. Harris; 80th, J. Harris; 81st, J. Harris; 82nd, J. Harris; 83rd, J. Harris; 84th, J. Harris; 85th, J. Harris; 86th, J. Harris; 87th, J. Harris; 88th, J. Harris; 89th, J. Harris; 90th, J. Harris; 91st, J. Harris; 92nd, J. Harris; 93rd, J. Harris; 94th, J. Harris; 95th, J. Harris; 96th, J. Harris; 97th, J. Harris; 98th, J. Harris; 99th, J. Harris; 100th, J. Harris.

LIBERAL SPEAKERS
APPEAR AT METCHOSIN

Mr. T. B. Booth Assisted in
Campaign by Mr. Henry
Hall, of Victoria — Liberal
Policies Expounded

METCHOSIN, Nov. 29.—Mr. T. B. Booth, Liberal candidate for Nanaimo riding, held a meeting at the Metchoshin Hall last evening, which was supported by Mr. H. C. Hall and Mr. G. A. Bray, campaign manager, Mr. H. Heigensen, president of the local branch of the Liberal Association, took the chair.

Opening the meeting, Mr. Heigensen apologized for the late arrival of Mr. Booth, who had visited both Sooke and Oakwood, Mr. Heigensen remarked that Canada is lacking in export trade, and that if America wishes to trade with Canada she should be allowed to do so. He then called upon Mr. Hall.

Mr. Hall said that owing to the war domestic issues had not been discussed since 1911, and that the important matters which must be cleared up. He said it had been suggested that Dr. Tolmie was a Liberal, but that the fact that he had been associated with someone who had been called the "Quintessence of Toryism."

Mr. Hall also spoke on the liquor question and the fiscal policy. He asked if it was conducive to the prosperity of Canada to allow the reckless expenditure which has been going on. He said that liquor, capital, management and amalgamation are the four things to be taken into consideration. They will help to give a better understanding, and also get co-operation, which is the only way to achieve prosperity. He believed that Mr. Meighen's followers would have the smallest votes at Ottawa, and appealed to the people to make the majority a large one. Mr. Hall concluded with the remark that if Mr. Booth is returned he will do all in his power to represent the ideals of the community.

Mr. Booth still being late, Mr. Schofield obliged with some cheer music on the piano.

Mr. Booth apologized for being late, and added that he had already attended three meetings. He said there were three persons to vote for on December 6—Mr. Dickie, Mr. Pritchard and the speaker. He asked the audience to think of Premier Meighen and not of the different campaigns, of the deficit on the railroads, and of the reckless manner in which money had been spent. He said that the Liberals are returned, Canada will enjoy the same prosperity that she had twelve years ago. He dwelt in the increase of the stamp revenue and said that it had not been ruled all round. Mr. Booth then said he believed in the reform of the fisheries of this Province, the closing of the rookery, for complaint. He said that licenses should be given only to white men and bona fide fishermen. In appealing for votes he gave a short sketch of his life and stated that he had lived in Nanaimo for 32 years and had not made any enemies, and that if he is returned he will do his best for every section of the Nanaimo riding.

Mr. Heigensen then congratulated the people on their Liberal candidate, hoping they would vote according to their reason, and not just for their own party's sake. He then called on Mr. H. G. Pierce to pass a vote of thanks to Mr. Booth and speaker. Mr. Pierce said he was sure that whoever was elected would do his work well, and said that the district must stick by them loyally. Mr. W. Griffiths seconded.

Refreshments were then served, followed by a dance, which was much enjoyed.

NANAIMO NEWS NOTES

NANAIMO, Dec. 1.—At St. Paul's Church yesterday afternoon Rev. S. Ryall united in marriage Miss Ivy Irene Baldwin and Mr. George Ritchie, both of Nanaimo. In the evening a dance was held in their honor at Metchoshin Hall, Northfield, which was attended by a large number of friends.

The Maple Leaf Dancing Club held a very successful masquerade ball in Young's Hall last night, which was attended by about 125 maskers. The prizes were as follows: Best dressed lady, Mrs. Bert Parker; best dressed gentleman, Mr. Dotto; best comic group, T. Rough, O. Wardill, T. Baird, E. Kebe; best original character, Miss Campbell; comic group, Miss Clarke; flower girl, Miss Mary Clarke; Tony, Miss Mary Hadden; representative characters, the Minors Greenway (representing a well-known brand of cigarettes); special prize, E. Kelly. The prize was won by Mr. P. Masi and Miss Dora Purse.

The local lodge of Elks will observe the annual Memorial Day in Rikdom by a sacred concert to be held in the Dominion Theatre on Sunday afternoon. The idea behind the function is to pay respect to the memory of departed Elks, and the service will be of a semi-religious character.

The Famous Players' Canadian Corporation, Ltd., some time ago offered prizes to managers of their theatres who would show the biggest increase in receipts during a stated period. Mr. Harry Beesley, manager of the Dominion Theatre here, received word yesterday that he had won the first prize in this contest.

Mrs. M. Manson, of Cortez Island, B. visiting in Nanaimo, Mr. John Renwick, Selkirk, B.C., and the marriage took place recently of Miss Jane Ann Thomas, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Ladysmith, to Mr. Frederick McKay, of Revelstoke. The bride had been a nurse at the Queen Victoria Hospital, Revelstoke, for some time. The wedding took place at Vernon at the home of Mr. G. H. Thomas, brother of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. E. Woodburn and

son of Oakland, Cal., who have been visiting Mr. Woodburn's mother, Mrs. E. Wagstaff, Hailbourn Street, returned to Victoria yesterday.

Mr. Nels Hodgson and Albert Bagatin, of Estevan, returned last evening from a hunting trip to Campbell River, where they secured a handsome buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gough, Mrs. A. T. Norris and Mr. Walter Thompson returned last evening from Vancouver, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Haywood.

Cautious diversions at the local office for the month of November were as follows: Import duties, \$2,618.88; excise taxes, \$5,542.62; excise duties, \$1,624.49; sundry collections, \$178.43.

EXPLAINS JUDGING SYSTEM

DUNCAN, Nov. 30.—Mrs. W. R. Carter, of Victoria, who acted as judge of the domestic science classes at the Fall fair held by the Cowichan Agricultural Society in September last, gave a most interesting address to the points scored, especially in the bottled fruits, jams and jellies classes, and through the auspices of the C. W. I. arrangements were made for Mrs. Carter to visit Duncan on Wednesday. Those present received a most interesting and instructive lecture, going fully into detail on the many points that might arise. Added interest was given to the lecture by the fact that Mrs. Carter had brought in specimens in the various classes for Mrs. Carter to pass judgment on.

CHEMAMINUS NOTES

CHEMAMINUS, Nov. 30.—The appeal by the Regent, Mrs. R. B. Hall, of the Sister Agnes Keyser Chapter, I.O.D.E., for provisions to help relieve the distress in Victoria, has received a most generous response. Several cases of jam, sacks of potatoes and other vegetables have been shipped to Victoria this week.

Mrs. Bob McIlroy, Colin McIlroy and Ernest Howe were fortunate in each bringing home a deer last Tuesday.

At the last meeting of the Chemaminus branch of the Duncan Board of Trade, Messrs. N. Lang, J. R. Smith and Rev. R. D. Porter were appointed to raise funds for helping the victims of the recent food shortages. Rev. R. D. Porter tendered his resignation from the council owing to a mid-week service which takes place on Wednesday. Those present were: Mr. W. B. Tremblay (in the chair), Messrs. J. W. McDonald, W. Fryer, C. D. Ross, O. J. Mack, R. H. Smith, N. Lang, G. Lepper, J. R. Smith, Col. P. Rivett-Carnac and Rev. R. D. Porter.

The hall was decorated with flags, one of St. Andrew's Cross being placed in a prominent position. The supper table had vases of red and white carnations and bronze chrysantheums. Rev. Mr. Storey was the chairman, and the principal guest was the Rev. Dean Quinlan, D.D., of Victoria.

Immediately the banquet was finished, Rev. Mr. Storey proposed the health of the King, and a verse of the National Anthem was sung, which was followed by the chairman's remarks.

Mr. F. C. Parker then proposed "The Ladies," which was replied to by Mrs. A. Harvey.

Miss Wilkinson was then called upon for a violin solo and was encored.

Rev. Mr. Storey proposed "The Church," and Dean Quinlan replied in a masterly speech.

Mrs. A. Beale next rendered a whistling solo, "Sing To Me," and Miss Pattle Simister closed the programme by singing "A Lullaby Song" and responded to an encore with "The Fields of Ballacrae."

By special request Mr. R. Sloan recited "My Garden." Mrs. A. Beale, Miss Beale and Miss B. Deaton were the accompanists of the programme. The tables were cleared away and games were played till a late hour.

The committee in charge was Rev. and Mrs. Storey, Mrs. A. Harvey, Mrs. Stanley Brethour, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ward, and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Parker. The members of the Girls' W.A. assisted in the waiting on the tables under the leadership of Miss Rosa Mathews.

Master John Buck, six years old, son of Major and Mrs. Buck, met with a painful accident on Monday, when a torch accidentally set fire to his clothes, and before the flames could be extinguished his face was badly

burnt. He is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. J. Critchley, organist of St. Andrew's Anglican Church, is confined to the house at present, having injured her knee by a fall on October 30. In her absence Mrs. B. Deaton is taking over her duties.

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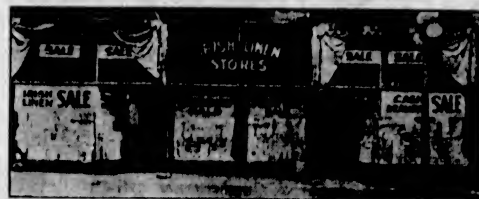
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Hand Embroidered Pure Linen Madeira Table Centres, Sale, each, \$3.25	\$4.25	Pure Irish Linen Damask Dolly Centres, Each, 20c, 15c and	10c
Hand Embroidered Pure Linen Madeira Bureau Scarfs, Each, \$6.50, \$5.50 and	\$5.00	Fine Sheer Pure Irish Linen, for handkerchiefs; 36 ins. wide, Sale, yd.	\$1.75
Hand Embroidered Madeira Dollies, Each, \$1.00, \$1.50 and	\$2.00	Pure "Old Bleach" Embroidery Linen, 36 inches wide, Sale, yard	\$2.25
Fine Pure Irish Linen Guest Towels, Sale, each, \$1.00, \$1.25 and	\$1.50	Pure "Old Bleach" Guest Toweling, 18 inches wide, Sale, yard	\$1.35
Fine Pure Irish Linen Towels, sizes 18 x 32 and 20 x 40, Sale, each, \$1.00, \$1.50 and	\$2.00	Pure Linen Embroidered Buggy or Cot Covers, On sale, each	\$2.75
Plain Hemstitched Irish Linen Tray Cloths, size 16 x 24, Sale, each	\$1.25	5 Pairs Only, Fine Hemstitched Pure Irish Linen Sheets, size 72 x 100 inches, Sale, each	\$7.50
Plain Hemstitched Irish Linen Tea Handkerchiefs, Sale, each, 50c, 35c, 30c and	\$2.50	Pure Irish Linen Damask Table Napkins, On sale, dozen, \$11.50, \$10.50 and	\$8.50
Gents' Plain Hemstitched Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, Sale, each, 50c, 40c and	35c	Pure Irish Linen Damask Tablecloths, sizes 2 x 2 and 2 x 2 1/2, Sale, each, \$11.50, \$9.50 and	\$8.50

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SIDNEY NEWS NOTES

The chicken banquet given by the congregation of St. Andrew's Anglican Church in Berquist Hall on Tuesday (St. Andrew's Eve), was one of the best gatherings ever held in Sidney, close upon 150 people being present to enjoy the abundance of dainties provided for their delectation by the church committee.

The hall was decorated with flags, one of St. Andrew's Cross being placed in a prominent position. The supper table had vases of red and white carnations and bronze chrysantheums. Rev. Mr. Storey was the chairman, and the principal guest was the Rev. Dean Quinlan, D.D., of Victoria.

Immediately the banquet was finished, Rev. Mr. Storey proposed the health of the King, and a verse of the National Anthem was sung, which was followed by the chairman's remarks.

Mr. F. C. Parker then proposed "The Ladies," which was replied to by Mrs. A. Harvey.

Miss Wilkinson was then called upon for a violin solo and was encored.

Rev. Mr. Storey proposed "The Church," and Dean Quinlan replied in a masterly speech.

Mrs. A. Beale next rendered a whistling solo, "Sing To Me," and Miss Pattle Simister closed the programme by singing "A Lullaby Song" and responded to an encore with "The Fields of Ballacrae."

By special request Mr. R. Sloan recited "My Garden." Mrs. A. Beale, Miss Beale and Miss B. Deaton were the accompanists of the programme. The tables were cleared away and games were played till a late hour.

The committee in charge was Rev. and Mrs. Storey, Mrs. A. Harvey, Mrs. Stanley Brethour, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ward, and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Parker. The members of the Girls' W.A. assisted in the waiting on the tables under the leadership of Miss Rosa Mathews.

Master John Buck, six years old, son of Major and Mrs. Buck, met with a painful accident on Monday, when a torch accidentally set fire to his clothes, and before the flames could be extinguished his face was badly

burnt. He is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. J. Critchley, organist of St. Andrew's Anglican Church, is confined to the house at present, having injured her knee by a fall on October 30. In her absence Mrs. B. Deaton is taking over her duties.

Persons

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Persons

Real Rest Depends Largely Upon
the Depth of Your Sleep

A warning to "light" or "poor" sleepers

The deeper and sounder you sleep the better you feel. Five hours sound refreshing sleep does you more actual good than ten hours restless, disturbed sleep.

This is because the final conversion of food into vital tissue and nerve cells goes on more rapidly when the physical and mental forces are at rest.

You can't get sound, refreshing sleep if your nerves are agitated with tea or coffee. Both these drinks contain caffeine, which is sometimes very irritating to the brain and nervous system.

If you want to know the joy, vigor and stamina that come to the person who gets sound, healthful sleep, why not stop taking tea or coffee for a while, and drink delicious, invigorating Postum instead.

Thousands of people everywhere have found that this was the only thing they needed in order to bring about these very happy results.

Order Postum from your grocer today. Drink this delightful cereal beverage of satisfying flavor, for a week. Perhaps, like thousands of others, you'll never be willing to go back to tea or coffee.

Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tin) made instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in package) of larger bulk, for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared, made by boiling for 20 minutes.

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Colds
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Aniseed,
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Your prescription will be filled accurately with the purest of drugs and chemicals. None but registered and thoroughly competent druggists employed.

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Specials

\$1.00 Size Ironized Yeast	79c
50c Hurd's H & A Cream	39c
\$1.25 Pure Cod Liver Oil	89c
25c Peroxide Vanishing Cream	19c
50c Vanishing Cream	39c
\$1.00 Campbell's Hypophos	79c
25c Mennen's Talcum	19c

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December Silk and Linen Sale

And a Great Sale of Waists, Clothing and Shoes

**Afternoon Tea
Service**Orchestra
3 Till 5 p.m.

A December Sale of Women's Tweed and Navy Serge Suits

Amazing Values at **\$19.75**

In this December offering of Women's Suits you are offered a most unusual bargain.

Navy Serge Suits in the latest styles, and attractively trimmed with braid and buttons. They are well tailored, and many are shown in the latest novelty designs. Each represents a great bargain at.....**\$19.75**Tweed Suits, exceptionally neat and superbly tailored. They are made of the best grade materials, in shades of grey and green mixtures; are neatly belted and have roll collars. Smart suits and money-saving values for you at.....**\$19.75**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor—Phone 1910

**December Values
in****Boys'
Blue Serge
Reefers**

at

\$5.00All-Wool Blue Serge Reefers, made in plain models, and having plain or velvet collars; sizes for 2 to 8 years; regular \$10.00 values, on sale at.....**\$5.00**

—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor

**Continuing Our December
Sale of**

Men's Wool OVERCOATS

At **\$15.00 and \$25.00**

The coats offered at these prices are made of the best grade wool materials, in the latest approved models, including single or double-breasted styles, half belters and standard models.

At \$15.00—There are light, medium or heavy weight coats, all-wool, check backs, in both conservative models. Sizes 34 to 40.

At \$25.00—You are offered a choice of all-wool coats, in which many styles and the most favorite shades are represented. Sizes for all. Big value at the price.

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



A December Sale of Hundreds of Silk and Satin Camisoles

Heavy Wash Satin Camisoles, hand-embroidered, and Crepe de Chine Camisoles, trimmed with lace and brocade ribbon, on sale at.....**\$1.90**Black Crepe de Chine Camisoles, made with short sleeves, on sale at.....**\$1.90**Heavy Satin Camisoles, with shaped yokes, and trimmed with embroidery and lace. Reg. \$3.75 value at.....**\$2.50**Heavy Satin Camisoles, with deep yoke and short sleeves of lace. Regular \$3.75 values at.....**\$2.50**Heavy Black Satin Camisoles, with yoke and sleeves of lace; a regular \$3.75 value at.....**\$2.50**Camisoles of Silk, in shades of white, pink, navy and black. They are finished with ribbon straps, and big value at.....**95c**Camisoles of excellent grade wash satins, in white and pink, and in heavy habutai silk; each a bargain, **\$1.25**Camisoles of excellent grade crepe de Chine and satins, trimmed with filet lace and satin ribbons; others of black silk with wide shoulder straps and trimmed with lace, on sale at, each.....**\$1.50**Camisoles of satin, trimmed with lace; others of crepe de Chine, in several styles, at.....**\$1.75**—Womenswear Dept., 1st Floor
Phone 1194

A December Sale of BLOUSES

Representing a great special purchase made by us for our three stores. All to be sold at practically 50 per cent below the usual prices.

Voile Blouses, in white and fancy color spots, in blouse and tie-back styles; all trimmed with tucks and lace. At less than manufacturers' prices—

At **68c, \$1.25 and \$1.95**Plain Silk Blouses, well made and very neat, a blouse in which you will realize perfect satisfaction. Wonderful value at 68c and.....**98c**

Silk Blouses, in plain and tailored styles; in shades of white and flesh. They have long sleeves and convertible collars, and offered at half price, for—

\$1.98, \$2.50 and \$2.95Silk Blouses, patterned in black and white stripe, and plaids of many shades. They are made with long tuxedo collars and other pleasing styles, with long sleeves. Big values at.....**\$3.75**Crepe de Chine Blouses, in very dainty over-b blouse styles, and very fashionable. The materials are of best grade, and each blouse a great bargain. Values to \$12.50, on sale at.....**\$5.90**

—Blouses, 1st Floor—Phone 1010



The Men's Furnishings Department Specials for the December Sale

Men's Print Negligee Shirts, patterned in fancy light stripes of blue, mauve and black, on white. They are made with starch collar band and soft double cuffs. Sizes 14 to 16 neck. Regular \$2.00 values at.....**\$1.25**Men's Black Cashmere Socks, British make, all-wool mixture and medium weight; sizes 10, 10½ and 11. Regular value 75c, on sale at.....**50c**Men's "Tiger" Brand Wool Mixture Heavy Weight Underwear; sizes 36 to 44 chest; regular values \$1.75 on sale at, a garment, **98c**Men's Ties, suitable for Christmas gifts; made in wide-end style, and put up in individual boxes; shown in fancy brocades and stripes. Special, each, **95c**Men's Heavy Wool and Cotton Jerseys, pull-over style, with roll collar; in navy blue and brown; medium sizes only. Reg. \$3.75, on sale at.....**\$2.65**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Women's Pure Wool "Mercury" Underwear—Great Value

Women's Pure Wool Cashmere "Mercury" Combinations, manufactured from the finest wool, in various styles, including short, long and no sleeves, ankle length. Sizes 36 to 42. Extra good value at, a suit.....**\$6.75**Women's Pure Wool Cashmere "Mercury" Vests, elbow, short and no sleeves, low neck, slip-over styles; also high neck and long sleeves. Sizes 36 to 42. On sale at, each.....**\$3.75**Women's Pure Wool "Mercury" Bloomers in cream only; elastic at waist and knee. Sizes 36 to 42, at, a pair.....**\$2.90**Women's Pure Wool Cashmere "Mercury" Drawers, in open and closed styles; knee length only, at, a pair.....**\$3.75**

—Kittwear, 1st Floor—Phone 6996

Christmas Gift Opportunities in Women's and Children's Gloves

Children's Lined Mocha Gloves, grey or brown, and in excellent grade. Special at.....**\$1.75**Boys' Gauntlet Gloves, well lined and fringed on cuffs and decorated with star; shown in tan shades; sizes 4 to 5 at, a pair.....**\$1.75**
In sizes 7 to 8 at, a pair.....**\$1.95**Women's French Kid Gauntlet Gloves, of fine grade; a perfect fitting glove, in black, white, brown and grey, at.....**\$5.75**Leatherette Gauntlet Gloves for motoring or driving; a close-fitting glove that washes well, and shown in shades of mastic, brown, grey, sand and natural. Regular \$2.75 value at, a pair.....**\$2.00**

—Gloves, Main Floor

A Great Sale of Boots and Shoes for Women and Children

Women's Fine Slippers, with turn soles and Louis heels, in grey and black Suede and black and brown kid. Values to \$12.00, on sale at.....**\$8.95**Women's High-Grade Oxfords and Brogues, including Light Tan Calf Oxfords, with low or military heels; Stout Brown Grain Brogues and Grey Suede Brogues and Black Vici Kid Oxfords, with military heels. Values to \$12.00 at.....**\$8.95**Women's Brown Calf Strap Brogues, with strap over instep and large steel buckle on the vamp. English "K" make. Value to \$12.00, on sale at.....**\$8.95**Misses' Brown Calf Blucher Boots and Box Calf Boots, high cut, and reliable in every way; sizes 11 to 2. Reg. \$4.50, at.....**\$3.45**Women's Skating Boots, in high cut style, with inside ankle supports and outside strap and buckle. A perfect fitting boot, made by Canada's famous hockey boot maker. Regular \$6.00, on sale at.....**\$4.95**Women's Strap Pumps, with welled soles and military heels, in brown and black kid, brown and black calf, and Black Kid Strap Shoes, with leather Louis heels, and Gun-metal Oxfords. Regular values to \$10.00, on sale at.....**\$7.45**Women's Brogue Oxfords and Strap Pumps, in brown kid, with military or low heels; Kid Oxfords, with welled soles and military heels, and many other popular styles. Values to \$8.50, on sale at.....**\$6.45**Women's Black Kidskin and Brown Calfskin Two-Strap Pumps, with military heels; a perfect fitting last in widths; a very special purchase, and worth \$7.00 a pair, on sale at.....**\$4.45**Children's "Hurlbut's" Patent Leather Button Boots; sizes 8 to 10½. Regular \$5.00, on sale at.....**\$3.95**Misses' and Girls' Patent Leather Strap Pumps; sizes 8 to 2. Values \$3.50, on sale at.....**\$2.45**Women's "Cumfy" Felt Slippers, in grey, brown, black, red and wine. Special, **\$1.35**

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Bargains in Women's Neckwear

New Lace and Organdie Collars; Sets and Vestees and Collars, in all the favorite shades, on sale at, each.....**98c**
Also New Organdie and Broderie Anglaise Collars. Special at.....**75c**

—Laces, Main Floor

Mrs. Gertrude H. Brick will sing every afternoon from 3:30 to 5 o'clock in the Tearoom until December 6.

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Groceries Daily Bulletin

Royal Standard Flour, 40-lb. sack..... \$2.05	Canadian Macaroni, 1-lb. pkg. at..... 14c
National Dog Biscuits, large pkgs..... 34c	Carnation Milk, tall tins..... 14½c
Shelled Almonds, per lb..... 80c	California Table Figs, pkg..... 8c
Crystallized Ginger, per lb..... 30c	Kelly Mince-meat, quart jars at..... 65c
Lux, per pkg..... 11c	Sun-Maid Seedless Raisins, per lb..... 22c
Silver Gloss Starch, pkg..... 11½c	Snowflake Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sack..... 40c
Rogers' Syrup, 5-lb. tin..... 49c	
Ginger Snaps, per lb..... 19c	

Provision Counter Bulletin

Special Two Days' Demonstration of Swift's Products today and tomorrow on the Lower Main Floor:

Swift's Premium Hams, half or whole, at, lb..... 45c
Swift's Premium Bacon, half or whole, at, lb..... 55c
Swift's Premium Bacon, sliced, at, lb..... 58c
Swift's Pea-Meat Back Bacon, sliced, at, lb..... 50c
In the piece, lb..... 45c
Swift's Unsmoked Picnic Hams at, lb..... 18c
Swift's Smoked Picnic Hams at, lb..... 20c
Swift's Unsmoked Cottage Rolls, half or whole, at, lb..... 22c
Swift's Smoked Cottage Rolls, half or whole, at, lb..... 25c
Swift's Pure Lard at, lb..... 17c
Or, 3 lbs. for..... 49c
Swift's Pure Lard, in cartons, at, each..... 20c
Swift's Oleomargarine at, packet..... 24c
Swift's Prime Cooked Hams at, lb..... 60c
Swift's Baked Loaf at, lb..... 28c
Swift's Ashland Cooked Ham at, lb..... 27c

—Provisions, Lower Main Floor

Grocery Delivery—Phones 2077-79

No. 1 B. C. Jonathan Apples, per box..... \$2.50	Raw Sugar for Xmas Baking, 2 lbs..... 25c
New Season's Smyrna Table Figs..... 30c	Badger's Old Country Almond Paste, per tin..... 40c
3 Crown, per lb..... 35c	Morton's Old Country Citron Peel, per lb..... 55c
6 Crown, per lb..... 38c	Boiled Cider for Mince-meat, bottle..... 36c
7 Crown, per lb..... 50c	Morton's Old Country Lemon and Orange Peel, per lb..... 38c
Fancy Table Dates, pkg..... 10c	Spencer's China Tea, per lb..... 80c
No. 1 Soft Shell Budded Walnuts, per lb..... 55c	Spencer's Darjeeling Blend Tea, per lb..... 75c
Filberts, per lb..... 25c	Spencer's Extra Choice Ceylon Tea, per lb..... 60c
Brazil Nuts, per lb..... 80c	Spencer's Ceylon Blend Tea, per lb..... 50c
California Soft Shell Almonds, per lb..... 45c	
Bon-Ton Fancy Cluster Raisins, pkg..... 35c	

Fresh Meats, as Cut in Cases Cash and Carry

Pot Roast at, lb..... 10c	Prime Rib Roast at, lb..... 16c
Rumps, at, lbs, 15c, 18c and 30c	Loins Tips at, lb, 15c and 22c
GRAIN FED PORK	
Legs, 4 to 6 lbs., at, lb..... 30c	Loins, 2 to 6 lbs., at, lb..... 35c
Shoulder Roasts, lb..... 30c	Shoulder Butts, lb..... 28c
LOCAL LAMB	
Legs at, lb..... 28c	Shoulders, lb..... 16c
Loins at, a lb..... 25c	

—Lower Main Floor

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Orchestra

Cream Irish Damask Cloths

Size 50 x 50 inches, great value at.....**\$1.50**
Size 57 x 57 inches, great value at.....**\$2.00**
Size 64 x 64 inches, great value at.....**\$2.50**
Size 70 x 70 inches, great value at.....**\$3.00**

Bleached Damask Cloths

Size 70 x 70 inches, great value at.....**\$2.85**
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Pure Irish Union Damask Cloths

Size 72 x 90 inches, great value at.....**\$3.95**
Size 72 x 72 inches, great value at.....**\$4.95**
Size 72 x 90 inches, great value at.....**\$6.35**

Breakfast Napkins

Size 18 x 18 inches, great value at, a dozen.....**\$1.50**

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Size 20 x 20 inches, great value at, a dozen.....**\$3.75**
Size 20 x 20 inches, great value at, a dozen.....**\$3.95**
Size 22½ x 22½ inches, great value at, a dozen.....**\$6.75**
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Beautiful Designs

Size 72 x 72 inches, great value at.....**\$14.50**
Size 72 x 72 inches, great value at.....**\$16.50**
Size 72 x 90 inches, great value at.....**\$18.50**
Size 72 x 90 inches, great value at.....**\$21.00**
Size 72 x 108 inches, great value at.....**\$22.00**
Size 25 x 25-inch Napkins to match at, a dozen.....**\$21.00**

—Staple Dept., Lower Main Floor

Cream Irish Damask

Kitchen and Breakfast Cloths

54-inch, excellent design, at, a yard.....**\$1.10**
64-inch, excellent design, at, a yard.....**\$1.30**
70-inch, excellent design, at, a yard.....**\$1.50**

Bleached Damask—Extraordinary Values

54-inch, great value, at, a yard.....**59c**
64-inch, great value, at, a yard.....**98c**

Bleached Irish Damask—Many Designs

64-inch, great value, at, a yard.....**\$1.19**
68-inch, great value, at, a yard.....**\$1.59**
60-inch, great value, at, a yard.....**\$1.98**
70-inch, great value, at, a yard.....**\$1.79**
68-inch, great value, at, a yard.....**\$1.98**

Patent Medicines and Toilet Articles

A few suggestions for early gift purchases at special sale prices:

Perfumes, an excellent assortment of gift perfumes in dainty boxes, at special prices, ranging up from.....**35c**
Colognes and Lavender Water, very acceptable gifts; extra fine quality, 25c, 35c, 45c, 65c.....**75c**
Gibbs' Soap Dettol, one dozen fancy soaps in each box; \$1.00 size for.....**50c**
Old English Sachet Bags, 50c value for.....**25c**
Incense and Incense Burners; novelties for the Old Country and the East, at specially low prices.
French Ivory Hair Brushes. A special line of \$6.75 values for.....**\$4.37**
Also an excellent showing of a great number of various French Ivory articles, all specially priced.

—Patent Medicines and Toilet Articles Section, Main Floor

December Sale of Rich Silks

An Opportunity to Purchase Materials for Evening Gowns,
Dresses, Blouses and Lingerie at Prices
Amazingly Low36-inch Chiffon Taffeta, of a clear, even weave and in a high-grade dye. A silk that makes up unusually well and one that will give great satisfaction. A regular \$2.75 value on sale at.....**\$1.59**36-inch Figured Satin of superior quality, and in distinctive patterns and a great diversity of colorings. A regular \$9.90 value, **\$3.98**36-inch Black Paillette, of extra heavy weight and excellent texture, and will wear well and look well when made up in dresses or waists; black only. A regular \$2.50 value at.....**\$1.59**Figured Silks, suitable for negligee wear; being of fine texture, and patterned in small and distinctive designs, the colors beautifully blended in the fabric. Values to \$3.25 on sale at, a yard.....**\$1.98**Striped Taffeta and Duchesse Silks, in stripes and plaids; a French silk that makes up well in separate skirts or for trimmings; regular \$5.75 values, on sale at, a yard.....**\$1.98**33-inch Natural Pongee of even weave and excellent weight. This is of exceptional worth for dresses or for children's wear. A regular \$1.50 value on sale at, a yard, **\$1.00**36-Inch Tinsel Trimmed Gauzes and Brocades. Values \$27.50, on Sale at **\$11.98**These are choicest fabrics, in richest designs and colorings, and in superb finish. The very highest grade of silk for distinctive evening gowns. Wonderful value at, a yard.....**\$11.98**

—Silks, Main Floor—Phone 2323

Irish Embroidered Tray Cloths Scarves and Squares

Ideal Christmas Gifts

Tray Cloths

Size 16 x 24 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.25**
Size 16 x 24 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.50**
Size 18 x 27 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.00**Size 16 x 24 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.75**
Size 16 x 24 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.00**
Size 18 x 27 inches, pure quality, great value at, each, \$1.25 and.....**\$1.50**

Scarves

Size 18 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.25**
Size 18 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.50**
Size 18 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.75**
Size 18 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.00**
Size 18 x 45 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.25**
Size 18 x 45 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.50**Size 18 x 45 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.00**
Size 18 x 45 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.25**
Size 18 x 54 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.25**
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Size 18 x 54 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.00**
Size 18 x 54 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.50**

Squares

Size 30 x 30 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.50**
Size 30 x 30 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.00**
Size 30 x 30 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.25**Size 36 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$1.50**
Size 36 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.75**
Size 45 x 45 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....**\$2.00**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor—Phone 2350

Skirtings and Coatings

Exceptional Values in the Season's Latest Popularities

56-inch Skirtings, in the most up-to-date plaid and stripe designs in a great assortment of shades, and are suitable for sports or street wear. Big values at, a yard, \$2.95; \$4.25 and.....**\$6.75**56-inch Heavy, Soft Finished Velour for women's and children's coats; shown in shades of kingfisher, Copenhagen, Pekin, taupe, mallard, brown and reindeer, light brown and grey. Reg. \$6.75 at.....**\$4.75**54-inch All-Wool Blanket Cloth, for children's or babies' coats, in shades of sage blue, navy, scarlet and cardinal. They are soft finished materials and wonderful value at, a yard.....**\$2.50**56-inch Heavy Tweed Coatings, suitable for either men's or women's coats; all-wool materials in a fine finish. Regular values \$3.75 to \$8.50, now on sale at, a yard **\$1.98**

—Dress Goods Dept., Main Floor—Phone 2322

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Friendly Fairies
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Rhymes for Kindly Children
Whisk Away on a Sunbeam
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Children's Books for \$1.00 Each

The Little Brown Bear
The Bam Bam Clock
Over the Rainbow Bridge
The Jolly Old Shadow Man
Little Sunny StoriesLittle Babs
Tales of Little Cats
The Funny Little Book
Come and Play With Me

—Books, Lower Main Floor

Fine Linen Madeiras

Doilies, Centres, Runners and Squares, in various sizes, slightly soiled from display, to go At HALF PRICE

Battenberg Runners, Drawnthread Runners. Great value at, each.....**45c**Battenberg Runners and Squares and Drawnthread Squares. Great value at, each.....**79c**Blue Embroidered Doilies, 10-inch. Great value at 2 for.....**25c**Crochet Doilies, 8-inch. Great value at, each.....**15c**Blue Embroidered Tea Sets, 13 pieces, Centre and Doilies. Great value at, a set.....**\$2.00**Face Cloths, in pink and sky, soft, pure quality. Great value at, each.....**5c**Asbestos Mat Covers, all sizes; all linen scalloped. Great value at, upward.....**65c**

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Irish Embroidered Pillow Cases

Pillow Cases, embroidered on all four corners; fine, pure grade; slightly soiled, and great value at, a pair, **\$2.95**

Real Cluny Lace Linen Centres

45-inch, great value, **\$14.95**
36-inch, great value, **\$6.75**
30-inch, great value, **\$4.50**

All Linen Hem- stitched Runners

17 x 45 inches, great value at.....**\$1.95**

All Pure Linen Embroidered and Scalloped Squares and Rounds

45-inch, at, each.....**\$4.75**

Hand-Embroid- ered Cushion Covers

Size 22 x 22 inches, great value at, each.....**\$2.50**

All Pure Linen Embroidered and Scalloped Squares

Size 45 x 45 inches, great value at, each.....**\$5.75**

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FRIDAY LUNCH MENU, 50c

SOUP	
Cream of Tomato	
FISH	
Grilled Salmon Steak with Drawn Butter	
ENTREE	
English Meat Pie	
ROASTS	
Prime Ribs of Beef	
COLD MEATS	
Beef, Tongue, Ham, Mutton, Veal, with Potato Salad	
VEGETABLES	
Baked or Cream Potatoes Carrots in Cream	
DESSERT	
Banana Cream Pie	Raisin Pie
Preserved Apricots	Baked Custard

A December Offering of Mattresses and Beds At Special Prices

10 Assorted, Mixed Mattresses, covered with excellent grade art ticking, size 4 ft. 6 in. Regular \$10.50, on sale at, each..... \$4.75	12 Java Floss Mattresses, covered with fancy art ticking, 3 ft. 3 in., 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in. Priced at..... \$13.90
All - Felt Mattresses, full weight, and covered with heavy art ticking; sizes 3 ft. 3 in., 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in. A bargain at, each..... \$7.90	Simmons Steel Beds, with 1 1/2-16-inch continuous posts, heavy upright fillers; size 3 ft. 3 in., 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in., on sale at, each..... \$8.90
Two Iron Beds, in white enamel, with 1 1/2-16-inch continuous posts and brass knobs, with cross fillers, in 4 ft. 6 in. Regular \$10.50, on sale at..... \$6.75	Simmons Steel Beds, in white enamel, with 1 1/2-16-inch continuous posts and five 3/8 fillers. Sizes 3 ft. 3 in., 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in. Priced at..... \$13.75
	In Ivory enamel, \$14.75

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